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# CERCLA Preliminary Assessment Report



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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Illinois and Michigan Canal was entered into the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System (CERCLIS) on May 18, 1990. This action was due in part to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's (IEPA) concern of potential groundwater, surface water and soil contamination which may have resulted from a leaking above ground storage tank.

Ten tanks (ranging from 2,000 to 10,000 gallons in size) currently occupy the northern bluff approximately 15 to 20 feet above the Illinois and Michigan (I & M) Canal. This is land owned by the State of Illinois. The I & M Canal is a historic shipping canal and according to the Corps of Engineers (COE) it is a national shrine. The less than one acre site is located south of Chartres and Brunner Street along the southwest perimeter of La Salle's city limits. The tanks are located in the extreme southwest corner of Section 15, Township 33 North, Range 1 East of La Salle County. The Tabor Grain Co. of Archer Daniel Midland Corporation (ADM)/Growmark leases the land to the west of the site. This is the location of Tabor Grain's facility.

The I & M Canal borders the southern edge of the tank's locality. Directly north and east of the tanks is land also leased to Tabor Grain. During clean-up of the spill discov-

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PA Scoresheets



GENERAL INFORMATION (continued)

Source Descriptions:

On March 21, 1990 a spill from a tank was observed. Further investigation determined the spill to be petroleum based oil; oil as defined by the Clean Water Act. However, pentachlorophenol also appeared in analytical results, thus questioning the presence of Contaminants.

Waste Characteristics (WC) Calculations:

See PA Table 1, page 5)

Estimated tank volumes:

1 2,000 Gallons

3 4,000 "

1 4,500 "

2 5,500 "

1 6,000 "

2 10,000 "

Contaminated Soil:

~ 20 ft. long

~ 1.5 ft wide

$$20 \times 1.5 = 30 \text{ ft.}^2$$

Tanks: 55,500 Gallons

$$+ \begin{array}{r} 55,000 \\ 715 \\ \hline 55,715 \text{ gal.} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 30 \text{ ft.}^2 \\ 34,000 = \\ \hline .0008823 \end{array}$$

Drums:

~ 9 whole drums

$$9 \times 55 \text{ gallons} = 495 \text{ gallons}$$

$$\frac{55,715}{500} = 111.43$$

~ 4 drum fragments

$$4 \times 55 \text{ gallons} = 220 \text{ gallons}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 111.43 \\ .0008823 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$111.4308823 \text{ Waste Quantity Total}$$

Drums: 715 gallons

WC =

32

**PA TABLE 1: WASTE CHARACTERISTICS (WC) SCORES**

**PA Table 1a: WC Scores for Single Source Sites and Formulas for Multiple Source Sites**

TIER	SOURCE TYPE	SINGLE SOURCE SITES (assigned WC scores)			MULTIPLE SOURCE SITES
		WC = 18	WC = 32	WC = 100	
CONSTITUENT	N/A	≤ 100 lbs	> 100 to 10,000 lbs	> 10,000 lbs	lbs + 1
WASTEWATER	N/A	≤ 500,000 lbs	> 500,000 to 50 million lbs	> 50 million lbs	lbs + 5,000
VOLUME	Landfill	≤ 6.75 million ft <sup>3</sup> ≤ 250,000 yd <sup>3</sup>	> 6.75 million ft <sup>3</sup> to 675 million ft <sup>3</sup> > 250,000 to 25 million yd <sup>3</sup>	> 675 million ft <sup>3</sup> > 25 million yd <sup>3</sup>	ft <sup>3</sup> + 67,500 yd <sup>3</sup> + 2,500
	Surface impoundment	≤ 6,750 ft <sup>3</sup> ≤ 250 yd <sup>3</sup>	> 6,750 ft <sup>3</sup> to 675,000 ft <sup>3</sup> > 250 to 25,000 yd <sup>3</sup>	> 675,000 ft <sup>3</sup> > 25,000 yd <sup>3</sup>	ft <sup>3</sup> + 67.5 yd <sup>3</sup> + 2.5
	Drums	≤ 1,000 drums	> 1,000 to 100,000 drums	> 100,000 drums	drums + 10
	Tanks and non-drum containers	≤ 50,000 gallons	> 50,000 to 5 million gallons	> 5 million gallons	gallons + 500
	Contaminated soil	≤ 6.75 million ft <sup>3</sup> ≤ 250,000 yd <sup>3</sup>	> 6.75 million ft <sup>3</sup> to 675 million ft <sup>3</sup> > 250,000 to 25 million yd <sup>3</sup>	> 675 million ft <sup>3</sup> > 25 million yd <sup>3</sup>	ft <sup>3</sup> + 67,500 yd <sup>3</sup> + 2,500
	Pile	≤ 6,750 ft <sup>3</sup> ≤ 250 yd <sup>3</sup>	> 6,750 ft <sup>3</sup> to 675,000 ft <sup>3</sup> > 250 to 25,000 yd <sup>3</sup>	> 675,000 ft <sup>3</sup> > 25,000 yd <sup>3</sup>	ft <sup>3</sup> + 67.5 yd <sup>3</sup> + 2.5
AREA	Landfill	≤ 340,000 ft <sup>2</sup> ≤ 7.8 acres	> 340,000 to 34 million ft <sup>2</sup> > 7.8 to 780 acres	> 34 million ft <sup>2</sup> > 780 acres	ft <sup>2</sup> + 3,400 acres + 0.078
	Surface impoundment	≤ 1,300 ft <sup>2</sup> ≤ 0.029 acres	> 1,300 to 130,000 ft <sup>2</sup> > 0.029 to 2.9 acres	> 130,000 ft <sup>2</sup> > 2.9 acres	ft <sup>2</sup> + 13 acres + 0.00029
	Contaminated soil	≤ 3.4 million ft <sup>2</sup> ≤ 78 acres	> 3.4 million to 340 million ft <sup>2</sup> > 78 to 7,800 acres	> 340 million ft <sup>2</sup> > 7,800 acres	ft <sup>2</sup> + 34,000 acres + 0.78
	Pile*	≤ 1,300 ft <sup>2</sup> ≤ 0.029 acres	> 1,300 to 130,000 ft <sup>2</sup> > 0.029 to 2.9 acres	> 130,000 ft <sup>2</sup> > 2.9 acres	ft <sup>2</sup> + 13 acres + 0.00029
	Land treatment	≤ 27,000 ft <sup>2</sup> ≤ 0.62 acres	> 27,000 to 2.7 million ft <sup>2</sup> > 0.62 to 62 acres	> 2.7 million ft <sup>2</sup> > 62 acres	ft <sup>2</sup> + 270 acres + 0.0062

1 ton = 2,000 lbs = 1 yd<sup>3</sup> = 4 drums = 200 gallons

\* Use area of land surface under pile, not surface area of pile.

**PA Table 1b: WC Scores for Multiple Source Sites**

WQ Total	WC Score
> 0 to 100	18
> 100 to 10,000	32
> 10,000	100

Site Name: I + M Canal ↗  
Date:

GROUND WATER PATHWAY  
GROUND WATER USE DESCRIPTION

Describe Ground Water Use Within 4-miles of the Site:

Provide generalized stratigraphy; information on aquifers, municipal, and or private wells)

This site lies in the Wisconsinian-aged glacial till. It is overlain by manmade fill. Bedrock in this vicinity is highly fractured Silurian and Ordovician-aged dolomites.

The nearest municipal well is just under one mile from the site. This well is blended with three others. They are in the St. Peter Aquifer at depths of 2,591 Ft. - 2,764 Ft. deep. The city of LaSalle Water District has four wells just over 1 mile east of the site. These are in a sand and gravel aquifer at depths ranging from 60-70 Ft. deep.

The closest known private well is approximately 1 1/4 miles southeast of the site. Water in this well is drawn from a shale formation.

At approximately 3 1/4 miles southeast of the site are Oglesby's two municipal wells.

Show calculations of ground water drinking water populations:

Population outside of all city limits not on public H<sub>2</sub>O:

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 26 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 467 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 493 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 754 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

City of Peru Population

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 2,722 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 8,164 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

City of LaSalle Population

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 19,500 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Village of Oglesby Population

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{4} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 9,203 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Village of Cedar Point

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 \\ 298 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Population Totals:

1/4: 0

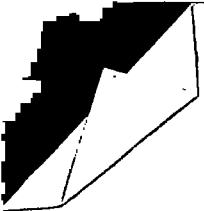
1/2: 0

1: 2,748

2: 19,131

3: 493

4: 10,255



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## GROUND WATER PATHWAY CRITERIA LIST

Site Name: I + M Canal  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Check the boxes to indicate a "yes", "no", or "unknown" answer to each question. If you check the "Suspected Release" box as "yes", make sure that you assign a Likelihood of Release value of 550 for the pathway.

GROUND WATER PATHWAY			
SUSPECTED RELEASE			PRIMARY TARGETS
Y es	N o	U nknown	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are sources poorly contained?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is the source a type likely to contribute to ground water contamination (e.g., wet lagoon)?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is waste quantity particularly large?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is precipitation heavy and infiltration rate high?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is the site located in an area of karst terrain?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is the subsurface highly permeable or conductive?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is drinking water drawn from a shallow aquifer?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are suspected contaminants highly mobile in ground water?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does any circumstantial evidence of ground water or drinking water contamination exist?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other criteria? _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SUSPECTED RELEASE?</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is any drinking-water well nearby?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is any nearby drinking-water well closed?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has foul-tasting or foul-smelling water been reported by any nearby drinking-water users?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do any nearby wells have a large drawdown or high production rate?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are drinking-water wells located between the site and other wells that are suspected to be exposed to hazardous substances?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does any circumstantial evidence of ground water or drinking water contamination exist?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does any drinking-water well warrant sampling?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other criteria? _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PRIMARY TARGET(S) IDENTIFIED?</b>

Summarize the rationale for suspected release (attach an additional page if necessary):

In March of 1990 one of ten tanks sitting on the northern bank of the Illinois + Michigan Canal had a release of its contents. What appeared to be an oil/tar-like substance flowed down the bank (~15-20 feet) into the I + M Canal.

Summarize the rationale for Primary Targets (attach an additional page if necessary):

# GROUND WATER PATHWAY SCORESHEET

Pathway Characteristics	
Do you suspect a release (see Ground Water Pathway Criteria List, page 7)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Is the site located in karst terrain?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Depth to aquifer:	<u>60</u> ft
Distance to the nearest drinking-water well:	<u>&lt; 1 mile</u>

## LIKELIHOOD OF RELEASE

	A Suspected Release (500)	B No Suspected Release (500 or 340)	References
1. SUSPECTED RELEASE: If you suspect a release to ground water (see page 7), assign a score of 550, and use only column A for this pathway.	550		1
2. NO SUSPECTED RELEASE: If you do not suspect a release to ground water, and the site is in karst terrain or the depth to aquifer is 70 feet or less, assign a score of 500; otherwise, assign a score of 340. Use only column B for this pathway.			
LR =	550		

## TARGETS

3. PRIMARY TARGET POPULATION: Determine the number of people served by drinking water from wells that you suspect have been exposed to hazardous substances from the site (see Ground Water Pathway Criteria List, page 7). <u>0</u> people x 10 =	0		2
4. SECONDARY TARGET POPULATION: Determine the number of people served by drinking water from wells that you do NOT suspect have been exposed to hazardous substances from the site, and assign the total population score from PA Table 2. Are any wells part of a blended system? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, attach a page to show apportionment calculations.	395		2
5. NEAREST WELL: If you have identified any Primary Targets for ground water, assign a score of 50; otherwise, assign the highest Nearest Well score from PA Table 2. If no drinking-water wells exist within 4 miles, assign a score of zero.	9		PA Table 2
6. WELLHEAD PROTECTION AREA (WHPA): Assign a score of 20 if any portion of a designated WHPA is within 1/4 mile of the site; assign 5 if from 1/4 to 4 miles.	—		
7. RESOURCES: A score of 5 is assigned.	5	5	
T =	409		

## WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

8. A. If you have identified any Primary Targets for ground water, assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4, or a score of 32, whichever is GREATER; do not evaluate part B of this factor.	(100 or 32)	
B. If you have NOT identified any Primary Targets for ground water, assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4.	(100 or 32)	
WC =	32	

GROUND WATER PATHWAY SCORE:

$$\frac{LR \times T \times WC}{82.500}$$

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Site Name: I+M Canal  
 Date:

PA TABLE 2: VALUES FOR SECONDARY GROUND WATER TARGET POPULATIONS

PA Table 2a: Non-Karst Aquifers

Distance from Site	Population	Nearest Well (choose highest)	Population Served by Wells Within Distance Category										Population Value
			1 to 10	11 to 30	31 to 100	101 to 300	301 to 1,000	1,001 to 3,000	3,001 to 10,000	10,001 to 30,000	30,001 to 100,000	100,001 to 300,000	
0 to 1/4 mile	<u>0</u>	20	1	2	5	16	52	163	521	1,633	5,214	16,325	<u>0</u>
> 1/4 to 1/2 mile	<u>0</u>	18	1	1	3	10	32	101	323	1,012	3,233	10,121	<u>0</u>
> 1/2 to 1 mile	<u>2,748</u>	<u>9</u>	1	1	2	5	17	<u>52</u>	167	522	1,668	5,224	<u>52</u>
> 1 to 2 miles	<u>19,131</u>	5	1	1	1	3	9	29	94	<u>294</u>	939	2,938	<u>294</u>
> 2 to 3 miles	<u>493</u>	3	1	1	1	2	<u>7</u>	21	68	212	678	2,122	<u>7</u>
> 3 to 4 miles	<u>10,255</u>	2	1	1	1	1	4	13	42	<u>131</u>	417	1,306	<u>131</u>
Nearest Well =		<u>9</u>	Score =										<u>484</u>

PA Table 2b: Karst Aquifers

Distance from Site	Population	Nearest Well (use 20 for karst)	Population Served by Wells Within Distance Category										Population Value
			1 to 10	11 to 30	31 to 100	101 to 300	301 to 1,000	1,001 to 3,000	3,001 to 10,000	10,001 to 30,000	30,001 to 100,000	100,001 to 300,000	
0 to 1/4 mile	_____	20	1	2	5	16	52	163	521	1,633	5,214	16,325	_____
> 1/4 to 1/2 mile	_____	20	1	1	3	10	32	101	323	1,012	3,233	10,121	_____
> 1/2 to 1 mile	_____	20	1	1	3	8	26	82	261	816	2,607	8,162	_____
> 1 to 2 miles	_____	20	1	1	3	8	26	82	261	816	2,607	8,162	_____
> 2 to 3 miles	_____	20	1	1	3	8	26	82	261	816	2,607	8,162	_____
> 3 to 4 miles	_____	20	1	1	3	8	26	82	261	816	2,607	8,162	_____
Nearest Well =			Score =										

# Apportionment of Peru Public Wells

Peru population: 10,886

Well #

Average Annual  
Pumpage

% Total Pumpage

5  
6  
7  
8

194.399 million gal/year  
237.026  
159.375  
296.245  
887.045

21.9%  
26.7%  
18%  
33.4%

No well contributes 40% or more of total output, thus, divide total population equally among each well.

Well #

5  
6  
7  
8

Apportioned Population

2721.5  
2721.5  
2721.5  
2721.5  
10,886



# SURFACE WATER PATHWAY CRITERIA LIST

Site Name: I+M Canal  
Date:

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SURFACE WATER PATHWAY			
SUSPECTED RELEASE			PRIMARY TARGETS
Y	N	U	
es		known	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is surface water nearby?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is waste quantity particularly large?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is the drainage area large?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is precipitation heavy or infiltration rate low?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are sources poorly contained or prone to runoff or flooding?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is a runoff route well defined (e.g., ditch or channel leading to surface water)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is vegetation stressed along the probable runoff path?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are suspected contaminants highly persistent in surface water?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are sediments/water unnaturally discolored?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is wildlife unnaturally absent?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has deposition of waste into surface water been observed?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is ground water discharge to surface water likely?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is there any circumstantial evidence of surface water contamination?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other criteria? _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SUSPECTED RELEASE?</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is any target nearby? If yes:
			<input type="checkbox"/> Drinking-water intake
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fishery
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sensitive environment
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has an intake, fishery, or recreational area been closed?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is there any circumstantial evidence of surface water contamination at or downstream of a target?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does any target warrant sampling? If yes:
			<input type="checkbox"/> Drinking-water intake
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fishery
			<input type="checkbox"/> Sensitive environment
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other criteria? _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PRIMARY INTAKE(S) IDENTIFIED?</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PRIMARY FISHERY IDENTIFIED?</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>PRIMARY SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENT(S) IDENTIFIED?</b>

Summarize the rationale for suspected release (attach an additional page if necessary):

An observed release to surface water was documented March 21, 1991.

Summarize the rationale for Primary Targets (attach an additional page if necessary):

The I+M canal feeds into the Illinois River less than 1/2 mile downstream of the site. Both of these are fisheries. Sensitive environs are located along the Illinois River within 15 miles of the site.

# **SURFACE WATER PATHWAY LIKELIHOOD OF RELEASE AND DRINKING WATER THREAT SCORESHEET**

Pathway Characteristics	
Do you suspect a release (see Surface Water Pathway Criteria List, page 11)?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Distance to surface water:	<u>~15</u> ft
Flood Frequency:	<u>100</u> /yr
What is the downstream distance to the nearest drinking-water intake?	<u>&gt;15</u> miles
nearest fishery?	<u>~15 feet</u>
nearest sensitive environment?	<u>~15 feet</u>

## **LIKELIHOOD OF RELEASE**

- SUSPECTED RELEASE:** If you suspect a release to surface water (see page 11), assign a score of 550, and use only column A for this pathway.
- NO SUSPECTED RELEASE:** If you do not suspect a release to surface water, and the distance to surface water is 2,500 feet or less, assign a score of 500; otherwise, assign a score from the table below. Use only column B for this pathway.

Floodplain	Score
Site in annual or 10-yr floodplain	500
Site in 100-yr floodplain	400
Site in 500-yr floodplain	300
Site outside 500-yr floodplain	100

A Suspected Release	B No Suspected Release
550	(500, 400, 300 or 100)
(550)	(500, 400, 300 or 100)

## **References**

1

LR =

550

## **DRINKING WATER THREAT TARGETS**

- Determine the water body types, flows (if applicable), and number of people served by all drinking-water intakes within the 15-mile target distance limit. If there are no drinking-water intakes within the target distance limit, assign a total Targets score of 5 at the bottom of this page (Resources only) and proceed to page 14.

Intake Name	Water Body Type	Flow	People Served
_____	_____	_____ cfs	_____
_____	_____	_____ cfs	_____
_____	_____	_____ cfs	_____

- PRIMARY TARGET POPULATION:** If you suspect any drinking-water intake listed above has been exposed to hazardous substances from the site (see Surface Water Pathway Criteria List, page 11), list the intake name(s) and calculate the factor score based on the number of people served.

0 people x 10 =

- SECONDARY TARGET POPULATION:** Determine the Secondary Target Population score from PA Table 3 based on the populations using drinking-water from intakes that you do NOT suspect have been exposed to hazardous substances from the site.

Are any intakes part of a blended system? Yes ☐ No ☒  
 If yes, attach a page to show apportionment calculations.

- NEAREST INTAKE:** If you have identified any Primary Targets for the drinking water threat (Factor 4), assign a score of 50; otherwise, assign the Nearest Intake score from PA Table 3. If no drinking-water intake exists within the 15-mile target distance limit, assign a score of zero.

- RESOURCES:** A score of 5 is assigned.

0	(50, 20, 10, 2, 1, or 0)
0	(20, 10, 2, 1, or 0)
0	(5)
5	5

3

3

3

T =

5

Site Name: I+M Canal  
Date:

PA TABLE 3: VALUES FOR SECONDARY SURFACE WATER TARGET POPULATIONS

Surface Water Body Flow Characteristics (see PA Table 4)	Population	Nearest Intake (choose highest)	Population Served by Intakes Within Flow Category											Population Value
			1 to 39	37 to 100	101 to 300	307 to 1,000	1,001 to 3,000	3,001 to 10,000	10,001 to 30,000	30,001 to 100,000	100,001 to 300,000	300,001 to 1,000,000	1,000,001 to 3,000,000	
<10 cfs	<u>0</u>	20	2	5	16	52	163	521	1,633	5,214	16,325	52,136	163,246	
10 to 100 cfs	<u>0</u>	2	1	1	2	5	16	52	163	521	1,633	5,214	16,325	
> 100 to 1,000 cfs	<u>0</u>	1	0	0	1	1	2	5	16	52	163	521	1,633	
> 1,000 to 10,000 cfs	<u>0</u>	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	5	16	52	163	
> 10,000 cfs or Great Lakes	<u>0</u>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	5	16	
3-mile Mixing Zone	<u>0</u>	10	1	3	8	26	82	261	816	2,607	8,162	26,068	81,663	
Nearest Intake =		<u>0</u>												Score = <u>0</u>

PA TABLE 4: SURFACE WATER TYPE / FLOW CHARACTERISTICS WITH DILUTION WEIGHTS FOR SECONDARY SURFACE WATER SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS

Type of Surface Water Body		Dilution Weight
Water Body Type	OR Flow Characteristics	
minimal stream	flow less than 10 cfs	1
small to moderate stream	flow 10 to 100 cfs	0.1
moderate to large stream	flow greater than 100 to 1,000 cfs	N/A
large stream to river	flow greater than 1,000 to 10,000 cfs	N/A
large river	flow greater than 10,000 cfs	N/A
3-mile mixing zone of quiet flowing streams or rivers	flow 10 cfs or greater	N/A
coastal tidal water (harbors, sounds, bays, etc.), ocean, or Great Lakes	N/A	N/A

**SURFACE WATER PATHWAY (continued)**  
**HUMAN FOOD CHAIN THREAT SCORESHEET**

LIKELIHOOD OF RELEASE	A Suspected Release (500)	B No Suspected Release (100,000,300 or 1000)	References

**HUMAN FOOD CHAIN THREAT TARGETS**

8. Determine the water body types and flows (if applicable) for all fisheries within the 1.5-mile target distance limit. If there are no fisheries within the target distance limit, assign a Targets score of 0 at the bottom of this page and proceed to page 15.

Fishery Name	Water Body Type	Flow
<u>Illinois + Michigan Canal</u>	<u>canal</u>	<u>1-2</u> cfs
<u>Illinois River</u>	<u>river</u>	<u>15,350</u> cfs
		cfs
		cfs
		cfs

9. PRIMARY FISHERIES: If you suspect any fishery listed above has been exposed to hazardous substances from the site (see Surface Water Criteria List, page 11), assign a score of 300 and do not evaluate Factor 10. List the Primary Fisheries:

I+M Canal Illinois River

10. SECONDARY FISHERIES: If you have not identified any Primary Fisheries, assign a Secondary Fisheries score from the table below using the LOWEST flow at any fishery within the 1.5-mile target distance limit.

Lowest Flow	Secondary Fisheries Score
< 10 cfs	210
10 to 100 cfs	30
> 100 cfs, coastal tidal waters, oceans, or Great Lakes	12

(300 or 0)		4
300		
(210,30,12 or 0)	(210,30,12 or 0)	
(300,210,30,12 or 0)	300	5
T =		

**SURFACE WATER PATHWAY (continued)  
 ENVIRONMENTAL THREAT SCORESHEET**

**LIKELIHOOD OF RELEASE**

Enter the Surface Water Likelihood of Release score from page 12.

LR =

A	B	References
Suspected Release	No Suspected Release	
500	100,000,000 = 100	
550		

**ENVIRONMENTAL THREAT TARGETS**

11. Determine the water body types and flows (if applicable) for all surface water sensitive environments within the 1/5-mile target distance limit (see PA Tables 4 and 5). If there are no sensitive environments within the 1/5-mile target distance limit, assign a Targets score of 0 at the bottom of this page, and proceed to page 17.

Environment Name	Water Body Type	Flow
<u>Wetlands</u>	<u>canal</u>	<u>1-2</u> cfs
<u>State Endangered Species</u>	<u>lake</u>	<u>      </u> cfs
<u>Natural Area</u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u> cfs
<u>3 State Managed Areas</u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u> cfs
<u>      </u>	<u>      </u>	<u>      </u> cfs

12. PRIMARY SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS: If you suspect any sensitive environment listed above has been exposed to hazardous substances from the site (see Surface Water Criteria List, page 11), assign a score of 300 and do not evaluate Factor 13. List the Primary Sensitive Environments:

Wetlands

13. SECONDARY SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS:

- A. For Secondary Sensitive Environments on surface water bodies with flows of 100 cfs or less, assign scores as follows, and do not evaluate part B of this factor:

Flow	Dilution Weight (PA Table 4)	Environment Type and Value (PA Tables 5 and 6)	Total
cfs	x		
cfs	x		
cfs	x		
cfs	x		
cfs	x		

Sum =

- B. If NO Secondary Sensitive Environments are located on surface water bodies with flows of 100 cfs or less, assign a score of 10.

T =

		6
300		12
300		

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1930  
1930

**PA TABLE 5: SURFACE WATER AND AIR SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS VALUES**

<b>Sensitive Environment</b>	<b>Assigned Value</b>
Critical habitat for Federally designated endangered or threatened species	100
Marine Sanctuary	
National Park	
Designated Federal Wilderness Area	
Ecologically important areas identified under the Coastal Zone Wilderness Act	
Sensitive Areas identified under the National Estuary Program or Near Coastal Water Program of the Clean Water Act	
Critical Areas identified under the Clean Lakes Program of the Clean Water Act (subareas in lakes or entire small lakes)	
National Monument	
National Seashore Recreation Area	
National Lakeshore Recreation Area	
Habitat known to be used by Federally designated or proposed endangered or threatened species	75
National Preserve	
National or State Wildlife Refuge	
Unit of Coastal Barrier Resources System	
Federal lands designated for the protection of natural ecosystems	
Administratively Proposed Federal Wilderness Area	
Spawning areas critical for the maintenance of fish/shellfish species within a river system, bay or estuary	
Migratory pathways and feeding areas critical for the maintenance of anadromous fish species in a river system	
Terrestrial areas utilized by large or dense aggregations of vertebrate animals (semi-aquatic foragers) for breeding	
National river reach designated as recreational	
Habitat known to be used by State designated endangered or threatened species	50
Habitat known to be used by a species under review as to its Federal endangered or threatened status	
Coastal Barrier (partially developed)	
Federally designated Scenic or Wild River	
State land designated for wildlife or game management	25
State designated Scenic or Wild River	
State designated Natural Area	
Particular areas, relatively small in size, important to maintenance of unique biotic communities	
State designated areas for the protection/maintenance of aquatic life under the Clean Water Act	5
Wetlands	See PA Table 6 (Surface Water Pathway) or PA Table 9 (Air Pathway)

**PA TABLE 6: SURFACE WATER WETLANDS FRONTAGE VALUES**

<b>Total Length of Wetlands</b>	<b>Assigned Value</b>
Less than 0.1 mile	0
0.1 to 1 mile	25
Greater than 1 to 2 miles	50
Greater than 2 to 3 miles	75
Greater than 3 to 4 miles	100
Greater than 4 to 8 miles	150
Greater than 8 to 12 miles	250
Greater than 12 to 16 miles	350
Greater than 16 to 20 miles	450
Greater than 20 miles	500

**SURFACE WATER PATHWAY (concluded)  
 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS, THREAT, AND PATHWAY SCORE SUMMARY**

WASTE CHARACTERISTICS	A	B
	<i>Suspected Release</i> <small>(100 or 32)</small>	<i>No Suspected Release</i> <small>(100, 32, or 16)</small>
14. A. If you have identified ANY Primary Targets for surface water (pages 12, 14, or 15), assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4, or a score of 32, whichever is GREATER; do not evaluate part B of this factor.	<b>32</b>	
B. If you have NOT identified any Primary Targets for surface water, assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4.		
<b>WC =</b>		

**SURFACE WATER PATHWAY THREAT SCORES**

Threat	<i>Likelihood of Release (LR) Score</i> <i>(from page 12)</i>	<i>Targets (T) Score</i>	<i>Pathway Waste Characteristics (WC) Score</i> <i>(determined above)</i>	<i>Threat Score</i> <i>LR x T x WC / 82,500</i>
Drinking Water	<b>550</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1</b> <small>(adjusts to a maximum of 100)</small>
Human Food Chain	<b>550</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>64</b> <small>(adjusts to a maximum of 100)</small>
Environmental	<b>550</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>60</b> <small>(adjusts to a maximum of 100)</small>

**SURFACE WATER PATHWAY SCORE**  
 (Drinking Water Threat + Human Food Chain Threat + Environmental Threat)

<small>(adjusts to a maximum of 100)</small> <b>100</b>
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# SOIL EXPOSURE PATHWAY CRITERIA LIST

Site Name: It McAnal

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Date:

This chart provides guidelines to assist you in hypothesizing the presence of a resident population. It is expected that not all of this information will be available during the PA. Also, these criteria are not all-inclusive; list any other criteria you use to hypothesize resident populations. This chart will record your professional judgment in evaluating this factor.

Use the resident population section to guide you through evaluation of some site and source conditions that will help identify targets likely to be exposed to hazardous substances. You may use this section of the chart more than once, depending on the number of nearby people you feel may be considered part of a resident population. Record the responses for the resident population target that you feel has the highest probability of being exposed to hazardous substances.

Check the boxes to indicate a "yes", "no", or "unknown" answer to each question.

SOIL EXPOSURE PATHWAY				
SUSPECTED CONTAMINATION	RESIDENT POPULATION			
	Y E S	N O	U N K N O W N	
Surficial contamination is assumed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are there residences, schools, or day care facilities on or within 200 feet of areas of suspected contamination?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are residences, schools, or day care facilities located on adjacent land previously owned or leased by the site owner/operator?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is there an overland migration route that might spread hazardous substances near residences, schools, or day care facilities?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are there any reports of adverse health effects from onsite or adjacent residents or students, exclusive of apparent drinking water or air contamination problems?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does any offsite property warrant sampling?
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other criteria? _____
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	RESIDENT POPULATION IDENTIFIED?

Summarize the rationale for resident population (attach an additional page if necessary):

There are no persons who reside or attend school or daycare within 200 feet of the suspected contamination.

# SOIL EXPOSURE PATHWAY SCORESHEET

Pathway Characteristics	
Do any people live on or within 200 ft of areas of suspected contamination?	Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Do any people attend school or day care on or within 200 ft of areas of suspected contamination?	Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Is the facility active? Yes _____ No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If yes, estimate the number of workers: _____	

## LIKELIHOOD OF EXPOSURE

	A Suspected Contamination	B No Suspected Contamination	Reference:
1. SUSPECTED CONTAMINATION: Surficial contamination is assumed. A score of 550 is assigned. LE =	(550) 550		1

## RESIDENT POPULATION THREAT TARGETS

2. **RESIDENT POPULATION:** Determine the number of people occupying residences or attending school or day care on or within 200 feet of areas of suspected contamination (see Soil Exposure Pathway Criteria List, page 18).

0 people x 10 =

3. **RESIDENT INDIVIDUAL:** If you have identified any Resident Population (Factor 2), assign a score of 50; otherwise, assign a score of 0.

4. **WORKERS:** Assign a score from the following table based on the total number of workers at the facility and nearby facilities with suspected contamination:

Number of Workers	Score
0	0
1 to 100	5
101 to 1,000	10
> 1,000	15

5. **TERRESTRIAL SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS:** Assign a value from PA Table 7 for each terrestrial sensitive environment that is located on an area of suspected contamination:

Terrestrial Sensitive Environment Type	Value
_____	_____
_____	_____

Sum =

6. **RESOURCES:** A score of 5 is assigned.

T =

## WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

7. Assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4. WC =	(100; 32, or 10) 32	
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RESIDENT POPULATION THREAT SCORE:

$$\frac{LE \times T \times WC}{82,500}$$

(subject to a maximum of 100)

1.06

NEARBY POPULATION THREAT SCORE:

Assign a score of 2

2

SOIL EXPOSURE PATHWAY SCORE:

Resident Population Threat + Nearby Population Threat

(subject to a maximum of 100)

2

**PA TABLE 7: SOIL EXPOSURE PATHWAY  
 TERRESTRIAL SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENT VALUES**

<b>Terrestrial Sensitive Environment</b>	<b>Assigned Value</b>
Terrestrial critical habitat for Federally designated endangered or threatened species	100
National Park	
Designated Federal Wilderness Area	
National Monument	
Terrestrial habitat known to be used by Federally designated or proposed threatened or endangered species	75
National Preserve (terrestrial)	
National or State terrestrial Wildlife Refuge	
Federal land designated for protection of natural ecosystems	
Administratively proposed Federal Wilderness Area	
Terrestrial areas utilized by large or dense aggregations of animals (vertebrate species) for breeding	
Terrestrial habitat used by State designated endangered or threatened species	50
Terrestrial habitat used by species under review for Federally designated endangered or threatened status	
State lands designated for wildlife or game management	25
State designated Natural Areas	
Particular areas, relatively small in size, important to maintenance of unique biotic communities	

# AIR PATHWAY CRITERIA LIST

Site Name: **I + M Canal**<sup>21</sup>  
Date:

This chart provides guidelines to assist you in hypothesizing the presence of a suspected release. It is expected that not all of this information will be available during the PA. Also, these criteria are not all-inclusive; list any other criteria you use to hypothesize a suspected release. This chart will record your professional judgment in evaluating this factor.

The "Suspected Release" section of the chart guides you through evaluation of some conditions to help hypothesize whether a release from the site is likely. For the Air Pathway, if a release is suspected, "Primary Targets" are any residents, workers, students, or sensitive environments within 1/4 mile of the site.

Check the boxes to indicate a "yes", "no", or "unknown" answer to each question. If you check the "Suspected Release" box as "yes", make sure that you assign a Likelihood of Release value of 550 for the pathway.

AIR PATHWAY			
SUSPECTED RELEASE			PRIMARY TARGETS
Y es	N o	U nknown	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><i>If you suspect a release to air, evaluate all populations and sensitive environments within 1/4 mile (including those onsite) as Primary Targets.</i></p>
		Have odors been reported?	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		Has a release of hazardous substances to the air been directly observed?	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		Are there any reports of adverse health effects (e.g., headaches, nausea, dizziness) potentially resulting from migration of hazardous substances through the air?	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		Is there any circumstantial evidence of an air release?	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Other criteria? _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<b>SUSPECTED RELEASE?</b>

Summarize the rationale for suspected release (attach an additional page if necessary):

*A release to air is not suspected.*

# AIR PATHWAY SCORESHEET

Pathway Characteristics	
Do you suspect a release (see Air Pathway Criteria List, page 21)?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Distance to the nearest individual:	<u>40</u> ft

## LIKELIHOOD OF RELEASE

	A Suspected Release	B No Suspected Release	Reference:
1. SUSPECTED RELEASE: If you suspect a release to air (see page 21), assign a score of 550, and use only column A for this pathway.	550		
2. NO SUSPECTED RELEASE: If you do not suspect a release to air, assign a score of 500, and use only column B for this pathway.		500	10
LR =		500	

## TARGETS

3. PRIMARY TARGET POPULATION: Determine the number of people subject to exposure from a release of hazardous substances through the air (see Air Pathway Criteria List, page 21). _____ people x 10 =									
4. SECONDARY TARGET POPULATION: Determine the number of people within the 4-mile target distance limit, and assign the total population score from PA Table 8.		22	11						
5. NEAREST INDIVIDUAL: If you have identified any Primary Targets for the air pathway, assign a score of 50; otherwise, assign the highest Nearest Individual score from PA Table 8.	(50, 20, 7, 2, 1, or 0)	(20, 7, 2, 1, or 0)	11						
6. PRIMARY SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS: Sum the sensitive environment values (PA Table 5) and wetland acreage values (PA Table 9) for environments subject to exposure from air hazardous substances (see Air Pathway Criteria List, page 21).									
<table><tr><th>Sensitive Environment Type</th><th>Value</th></tr><tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr><tr><td>_____</td><td>_____</td></tr></table>	Sensitive Environment Type	Value	_____	_____	_____	_____			
Sensitive Environment Type	Value								
_____	_____								
_____	_____								
Sum =									
7. SECONDARY SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS: Use PA Table 10 to determine the score for secondary sensitive environments.		1	PA Tab 10						
8. RESOURCES: A score of 5 is assigned.	(5)	(5)							
T =		48							

## WASTE CHARACTERISTICS

9. A. If you have identified any Primary Targets for the air pathway, assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4, or a score of 32, whichever is GREATER; do not evaluate part B of this factor.	(100 or 32)	
B. If you have NOT identified any Primary Targets for the air pathway, assign the waste characteristics score calculated on page 4.	(100, 32, or 10)	32
WC =		

AIR PATHWAY SCORE:

LR x T x WC  
82.500

(subject to a maximum of 1000)  
9

Site Name: I + M Canal  
 Date:

PA TABLE 8: VALUES FOR SECONDARY AIR TARGET POPULATIONS

Distance from Site	Population	Nearest Individual (choose highest)	Population Within Distance Category												Population Value
			1 to 10	11 to 30	31 to 100	101 to 300	301 to 1,000	1,001 to 3,000	3,001 to 10,000	10,001 to 30,000	30,001 to 100,000	100,001 to 300,000	300,001 to 1,000,000	1,000,001 to 3,000,000	
Onsite	<u>0</u>	20	1	2	5	16	52	163	521	1,633	5,214	16,325	52,136	163,246	<u>0</u>
>0 to ¼ mile	<u>35</u>	<u>(20)</u>	1	1	<u>(1)</u>	4	13	41	130	408	1,303	4,081	13,034	40,811	<u>1</u>
>¼ to ½ mile	<u>526</u>	2	0	0	1	1	<u>(3)</u>	9	28	88	282	882	2,815	8,815	<u>3</u>
>½ to 1 mile	<u>7,586</u>	1	0	0	0	1	1	3	<u>(8)</u>	26	83	261	834	2,612	<u>8</u>
>1 to 2 miles	<u>18,635</u>	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	<u>(8)</u>	27	83	266	833	<u>8</u>
>2 to 3 miles	<u>2,947</u>	0	0	0	0	0	1	<u>(1)</u>	1	4	12	38	120	376	<u>1</u>
>3 to 4 miles	<u>2,633</u>	0	0	0	0	0	0	<u>(1)</u>	1	2	7	23	73	229	<u>1</u>
Nearest Individual =		<u>20</u>													Score = <u>22</u>

PA TABLE 9: AIR PATHWAY VALUES FOR WETLAND AREA

Wetland Area	Assigned Value
Less than 1 acre	0
1 to 50 acres	25
Greater than 50 to 100 acres	75
Greater than 100 to 150 acres	125
Greater than 150 to 200 acres	175
Greater than 200 to 300 acres	250
Greater than 300 to 400 acres	350
Greater than 400 to 500 acres	450
Greater than 500 acres	500

PA TABLE 10: DISTANCE WEIGHTS AND CALCULATIONS FOR AIR PATHWAY SECONDARY SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENTS

Distance	Distance Weight	Sensitive Environment Type and Value (from PA Table 9 & 10)	Product
Onsite	0.10	x <u>0</u> Wetlands > 1 acre	<u>0</u>
		x	
0-1/4 mi	0.025	x <u>25</u> Wetlands ~ 32 acres	<u>.625</u>
		x	
		x	
1/4-1/2 mi	0.0054	x <u>75</u> Wetlands ~ 77 acres	<u>.405</u>
		x	
		x	
		x	
Total Environments Score =			<u>1.3</u>

# SITE SCORE CALCULATION

	S	S <sup>2</sup>
GROUND WATER PATHWAY SCORE (S <sub>gw</sub> ):	87	7,569
SURFACE WATER PATHWAY SCORE (S <sub>sw</sub> ):	100	10,000
SOIL EXPOSURE PATHWAY SCORE (S <sub>so</sub> ):	2	4
AIR PATHWAY SCORE (S <sub>a</sub> ):	9	81
SITE SCORE: $\sqrt{\frac{S_{gw}^2 + S_{sw}^2 + S_{so}^2 + S_a^2}{4}}$ =		66

## RECOMMENDATION

## SUMMARY

	YES	NO
1. Is there a high possibility of a threat to nearby drinking water wells by migration of hazardous substances in ground water?  A. If yes, identify the wells recommended for sampling during the SI. _____  B. If yes, how many people are served by these threatened wells? _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Are any of the following suspected to have been exposed to hazardous substances through surface water migration from the site?  A. Drinking water intake B. Fishery C. Sensitive environment: wetland, critical habitat, others D. If yes, identify the targets recommended for sampling during the SI. <u>I + M Canal, Wetlands</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
3. Do people reside or attend school or day care on or within 200 ft of any area of suspected contamination?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Are there public health concerns at this site that are not addressed by PA scoring considerations? If yes, explain:  _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## HRS DOCUMENTATION LOG SHEET

SITE NAME: I + M CanalCITY: La SalleSTATE ILIDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 984785071

REFERENCE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF THE REFERENCE
1	Files received from Vernetta Simon, U.S. EPA and Water division files
2	ISWS well logs and Public Water Officials
3	PWS Microfiche and Public Water Officials
4	Water Resources Data, IL, Water Year 1989 Vol. 2 and Gary McCandless - see phone log
5	See 1 above and IL Fishing Guide
6	See 4 above and I DOC
7	Reconnaissance visit to site
8	No workers on site + nearby facility is believed to not be contaminated
9	I DOC
10	No suspected release to air
11	U.S.G.S. Topo Map and Public Officials for populations
12	National Wetland Inventory Maps





## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Illinois and Michigan Canal was entered into the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System (CERCLIS) on May 18, 1990. This action was due in part to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's (IEPA) concern of potential groundwater, surface water and soil contamination which may have resulted from a leaking above ground storage tank.

Ten tanks (ranging from 2,000 to 10,000 gallons in size) currently occupy the northern bluff approximately 15 to 20 feet above the Illinois and Michigan (I & M) Canal. This is land owned by the State of Illinois. The I & M Canal is a historic shipping canal and according to the Corps of Engineers (COE) it is a national shrine. The less than one acre site is located south of Chartres and Brunner Street along the southwest perimeter of La Salle's city limits. The tanks are located in the extreme southwest corner of Section 15, Township 33 North, Range 1 East of La Salle County. The Tabor Grain Co. of Archer Daniel Midland Corporation (ADM)/Growmark leases the land to the west of the site. This is the location of Tabor Grain's facility.

The I & M Canal borders the southern edge of the tank's locality. Directly north and east of the tanks is land also leased to Tabor Grain. During clean-up of the spill discov-

ered in March of 1990, Tim Werner of IDOC observed that Tabor Grain had been storing salt and/or some type of agrichemicals on land immediately north of the tanks. According to U.S.EPA files, employees of a PRP (Potentially Responsible Party-Len Trovero), mentioned that the lowlying area had been used for decades for the purpose of unregulated dumping. This was discussed further in a June 20, 1991 phone conversation with Todd Hudson, the general manager of Tabor Grain. Mr. Hudson said people used to frequently drop junk off in the area of the tanks. He said it was mostly household items but grain and wheat materials had also been found. In attempts to impede such illegal dumping Tabor Grain installed fencing. Large concrete blocks were also placed north of the tanks to prevent any one running into the tanks.

The I and M Canal and an adjacent 90 foot buffer strip of land has been property of the state of Illinois since the 1830's. This property was put under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) from approximately 1920 to 1973. During this time IDOT leased certain parcels of this land to industrial companies. In 1973, state custodianship was transferred from IDOT to IDOC (Illinois Department of Conservation). It was during this time period Tabor Grain realized the land they lease included the property on which the tanks are located. Although the exact location is unclear, records suggest that in 1975 Mr. Len Trovero utilized lands adjacent to the tank farm for the

operations of an asphalt plant.

Aerial photographs indicate that the tanks have been at this location as early as November of 1958. They originally belonged to J.P. Hollerich Construction Company. It is believed the city of La Salle gave Hollerich permission to place tanks on city property in the area in order to transfer asphalt oil from the canal. The tanks were not placed on city but state property. In 1963 Mr. Hollerich died. Eventually the corporation was dissolved and liquidated. Mr. Len Trovero of Trovero Construction and Central Illinois Contracting Corporation bought some of these assets. To date there is no available documentation showing that Trovero's purchase included these tanks.

On March 21, 1990, a spill from one of the above ground storage tanks was reported to IDOC by two fishermen. The material was found to be pooled beneath a tank and flowing down the bank into the I & M Canal. A spill of approximately 1,500 gallons of petroleum based oil had leaked from one of the 10,000 gallon tanks. Mark McConnaughay (Site Superintendent for the canal), Verneta Simon (the canal's fisheries biologist, U.S.EPA) and Charles Trovero surveyed the extent of damage by way of a boat. The material had reached the opposite bank. Several fish and a blue heron had died due to the effects of the oil release. It was hypothesized the leak had occurred at an earlier date because black rings (of what appeared to be the same type of material) stained trees at

different levels on both the northern and southern banks. Actions were taken so as to stabilize the spill. CMC (the PRP's primary clean-up contractor) began the clean-up process by pulling the leaking tank away from the bank. This revealed an opening at the base of the tank where the spill originated. Mr. Trovero implied that a torn valve at the bottom of the tank was the source of the spill. The opening was sealed with a metal plate. An estimated 200 feet of booms were placed in the canal for containment. CMC initiated the excavation of the contaminated soil, shrubbery and debris from both banks. A vacuum truck and sorbent pads were used to remove the material floating on the canal. On March 27, 1990 Mr. Trovero aborted clean-up efforts and turned the responsibility over to the U.S.EPA.

The following day, O.H. Materials (OHM) took over where CMC left off. The removal of oil from the water surface and excavation of contaminated soil and trees was completed. A sand/soil mixture was applied to the seep area.

The tanks were not removed from the site. According to Trovero some of the tanks contained a high viscosity M.C. asphalt oil, some unknown substances and others were empty.

Prior to the clean-up, three samples were taken. The first sample was derived from the pooled material below the leaking tank. The second sample was taken from the seep. The third sample was collected from the contaminated sediments along the shoreline. The sample results indicated that

the PCB (Polychlorinated Biphenyls) level was lower than method detection limits and the spilled material was a petroleum-based oil. Pentachlorophenol was detected in the samples at a level of 211 ug/kg. This imposes the question of the tank's contents consisting of hazardous material.

IDOC Police Officer Scott Travi was told by Len Trover's son, Charles Trovero, and one of Trovero's employees that Trovero Construction and Central Illinois Contraction Corporation owned the tanks. Also at that time, the general manager of Tabor Grain Company wrote in a voluntary statement that Len Trovero told the general manger that the tanks were his (Trovero's). Although CMC was contracted by Trovero to clean up the spill, he presently denies ownership of the tanks.

The CERCLIS preliminary assessment site reconnaissance visit was conducted on the afternoon of March 26, 1991 by Sheila Murphy of IEPA's Division of Land Pollution Control. Shortly after her arrival, Ms. Murphy was approached by Todd Hudson. Mr. Hudson said the area used to be an asphalt plant/mine dump.

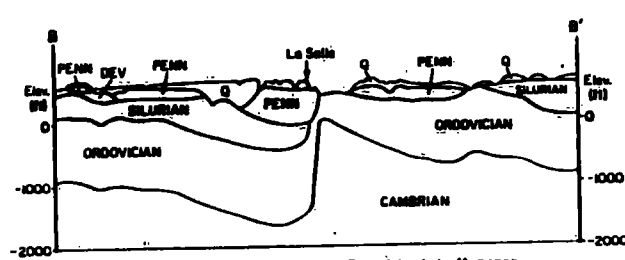
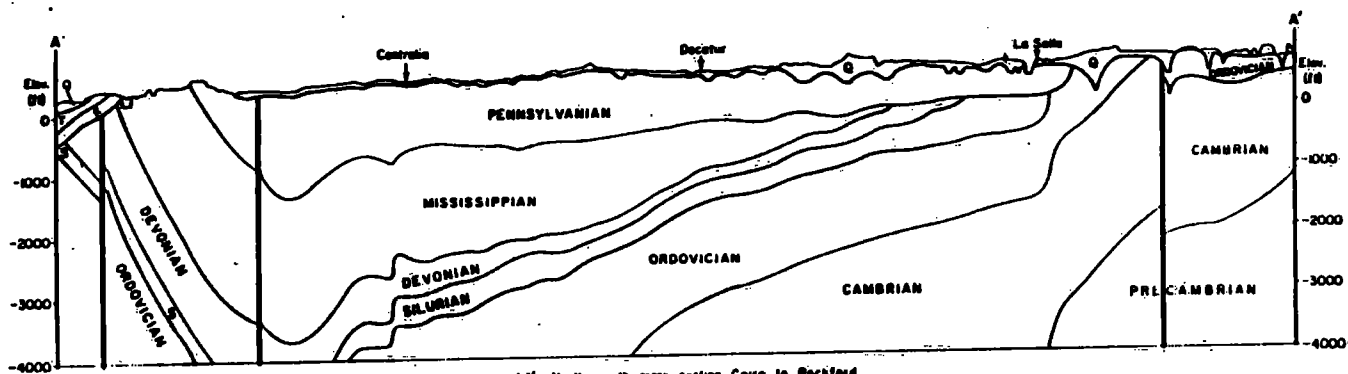
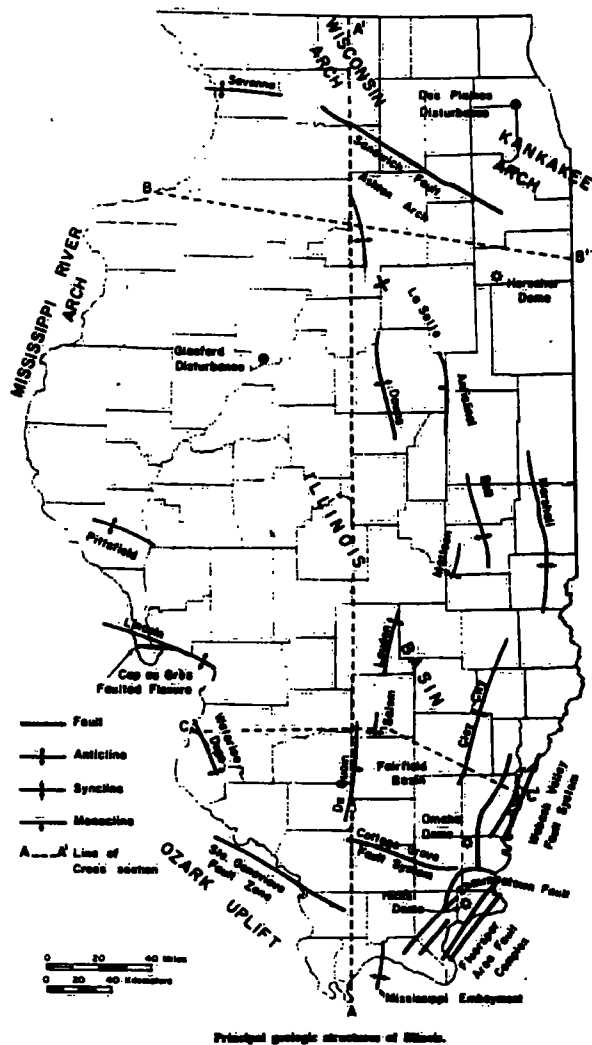
The only activity in close proximity of the tanks was that of Tabor Grain employees. They were working approximately 40 feet from the tanks. A later conversation with Mr. Hudson revealed the workers being out there was a one time project. However, an access road approximately 75 feet from the tanks is frequented daily.

The bank between the tanks and the canal was lacking in vegetation in comparison with the rest of the area. This is probably a result of insufficient time for new growth since the excavation in March of 1990.

The tanks themselves appeared to be worn, although no additional leakage was observed. The bank was marked by rubbish such as plastic lining, a tire and disposable cups. Approximately nine drums and several drum fragments were also present.

Geological records suggest the geology in the La Salle area is somewhat erratic due to the La Salle anticline. The west side of the La Salle anticline features a depression with underlying bed rock that dips toward the west then immediately rises straight up. To the east of the anticline's fold, the ground surface is step-like. Unlike the anticline's west side, this strata has a downward gradient that slopes toward the east. From the north is a downward gradient of a strike which angles toward the Illinois basin. Please refer to Figure 1. The older structures are exposed along the anticline's apex due to the erosion of previously deposited formations.

A multiple-aquifer, system consisting of sand and gravel, limestone and sandstone, is the supplier of drinking water within a four mile radius of the site. According to ISWS well logs, the depths of these wells are as shallow as 11 feet (sand and gravel) and as deep as 285 feet (sandstone)



Q—Quaternary T—Tertiary PENN—Pennsylvanian  
K—Cretaceous S—Silurian DEV—Devonian



Geologic cross sections

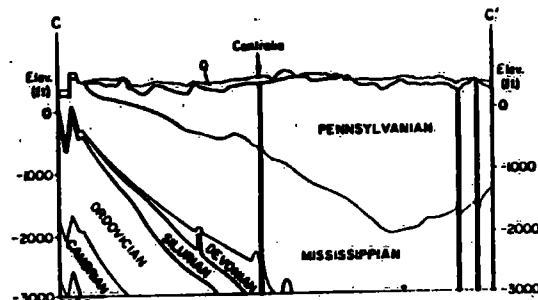


FIGURE 1

Taken from ISGS Handbook of Illinois Stratigraphy :1975



and 423 feet (limestone). The municipal wells of La Salle are 60 to 70 feet deep. They are completed in the alluvial deposits of the Illinois River. However, approximately two miles west of these are the Peru municipal wells. These wells are finished in St. Peter Sandstone at depths ranging from 2,591 to 2,764 feet.

Overlying the Silurian-Niagaran Limestone is a confining layer of Maquoketa. Thus, the aquifer of concern is the shallow sand and gravel. The closest known municipal wells and residential wells completed in this aquifer are slightly more than one mile from the site.

Drainage from the site flowed approximately 20 feet over a bank into the Illinois and Michigan Canal which lies south of the site. One mile west of the site, the I & M Canal flows into the Illinois River. There are no documented surface water intakes 15 miles downstream from the site. However, these two bodies of water serve as other purposes.

The I & M Canal and the Illinois River are both fisheries. When the spill from the tanks was investigated, several fish and a blue heron were found dead. There exists a potential for a greater number of fish or other wildlife that might have been killed and washed downstream prior to the spill discovery.

Extending 15 miles downstream are several sensitive environments. Wetlands are located along the bank of where the tanks are situated and are dispersed adjacent to the

Illinois River for the extent of the 15 miles downstream. Spring Lake is a natural area located between Illinois River Miles 210 and 212 (approximately 13 miles downstream of site). The rookery of the state-endangered Great Egret, Casmerodius albus, is located in this natural area. State-managed areas designated for wildlife are also located downstream of the site.

There was no documented or suspected release of hazardous chemicals to air.

There are no residents, schools or daycares within 200 feet of the site. As previously mentioned, on the day of the reconnaissance visit, Tabor Grain employees were working about 40 feet from the tanks. Approximately 75 feet from the tanks is an access road used everyday by Tabor Grain truck drivers. There are no means by which access to the tanks is restricted. Other than the tanks themselves, there is no type of containment for the potentially hazardous contents. Although the spill was cleaned up and surrounding soil, shrubbery and trees were excavated the tanks still pose a threat in regards to the potential reoccurrence of another leak.

There is no documented evidence about other sources contributing to this site. However, U.S.EPA and IDOC files mention the possibility of this area being used as an unregulated dump site for many years past.

Due to the documented impact the spill has had on soil

and surface water fisheries and sensitive environments and the remaining threat that still exists, a medium priority is assigned to the I & M Canal site. Recommended further action includes U.S.EPA's Region Five advancement of this site to the screening site inspection stage of the CERCLA preremedial process.



POTENTIAL HAZARDOUS WASTE SITE  
PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT  
PART 1 - SITE INFORMATION AND ASSESSMENT

I. IDENTIFICATION

01 STATE/STREET NAME  
IL D984775071

II. SITE NAME AND LOCATION

01 SITE NAME (Legal, common, or descriptive name of site)

Illinois + Michigan Canal

02 STREET, ROUTE NO., OR SPECIFIC LOCATION IDENTIFIER

South of River + Chartres Street intersection

03 CITY

La Salle

04 STATE 05 ZIP CODE

IL 61301

06 COUNTY

La Salle

07 COORDINATE CODE

099 IL-14

08 COORDINATES LATITUDE

41° 19' 28"

LONGITUDE

89° 04' 18"

La Salle Quad Map 62 D

10 DIRECTIONS TO SITE (Starting from nearest public road)

Route 6 to LaSalle, turn south onto Creve Coeur, turn right (west) onto River Street. Follow this until come to sign ADM Groumork, Tabor Grain. Follow this access road

III. RESPONSIBLE PARTIES

01 OWNER (if known)

Illinois Department of Conservation

02 STREET (showing, mailing, receiving)

524 S. 2nd Street

03 CITY

Springfield

04 STATE 05 ZIP CODE

IL 62701

06 TELEPHONE NUMBER

(217) 782-6302

07 OPERATOR (if known and different from owner)

08 STREET (showing, mailing, receiving)

09 CITY

10 STATE

11 ZIP CODE

12 TELEPHONE NUMBER

13 TYPE OF OWNERSHIP (Check one)

☐ A. PRIVATE ☐ B. FEDERAL

☐ C. STATE

☐ D. COUNTY

☐ E. MUNICIPAL

☐ F. OTHER

☐ G. UNKNOWN

14 OWNER/OPERATOR NOTIFICATION ON FILE (Check all that apply)

☐ A. RCRA 3001 DATE RECEIVED: MONTH DAY YEAR

☐ B. UNCONTROLLED WASTE SITE (RCRA 106) DATE RECEIVED: MONTH DAY YEAR

☐ C. NONE

IV. CHARACTERIZATION OF POTENTIAL HAZARD

01 ON SITE INSPECTION

☐ YES

☐ NO

DATE MONTH DAY YEAR

02 (Check all that apply)

☐ A. EPA

☐ B. EPA CONTRACTOR

☐ C. STATE

☐ D. OTHER CONTRACTOR

☐ E. LOCAL HEALTH OFFICIAL

☐ F. OTHER

CONTRACTOR NAME(S):

03 SITE STATUS (Check one)

☐ A. ACTIVE

☐ B. INACTIVE

☐ C. UNKNOWN

04 YEARS OF OPERATION

BEFORE YEAR

LAST YEAR

☐ UNKNOWN

05 DESCRIPTION OF SUBSTANCES POSSIBLY PRESENT, KNOWN OR ALLEGED

Petroleum based oil with contaminants

06 DESCRIPTION OF POTENTIAL HAZARD TO ENVIRONMENT AND/OR POPULATION

Surface Water (population, environment) Ground Water (population and environment)

Soil Exposure (Environment)

V. PRIORITY ASSESSMENT

01 PRIORITY FOR INSPECTION (Check one if high or medium is checked, complete Part 2 - Waste Information and Part 3 - Description of Potential Hazards and Impacts)

☐ A. HIGH

☐ B. MEDIUM

☐ C. LOW

☐ D. NONE

VI. INFORMATION AVAILABLE FROM

01 CONTACT

Todd Hudson

02 OF (Agency/Department)

Tabor Grain

03 TELEPHONE NUMBER

(815) 223-7907

04 PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSESSMENT

Sheila Murphy

05 AGENCY

IEPA

06 ORGANIZATION

RPMS

07 TELEPHONE NUMBER

(417) 785-7402

08 DATE

6.17.91



I. HIGHLY VOLATILE  
J. EXPLOSIVE  
K. REACTIVE  
L. INCOMPATIBLE  
M. NOT APPLICABLE



POTENTIAL HAZARDOUS WASTE SITE  
PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT

PART 3 - DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS

I. IDENTIFICATION

01 STATE 02 SITE NUMBER  
IL D98/85071

A. HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS

01 ☐ A GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

01 ☒ B SURFACE WATER CONTAMINATION  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

None

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE 3/21/92)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

Oil was reported as being on the surface of the I+M Canal. Booms + Sorbent pads were used as a means of containing + cleaning up the site.

01 ☐ C CONTAMINATION OF AIR  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

01 ☐ D FIRE/EXPLOSIVE CONDITIONS  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

None observed or documented.

01 ☐ E DIRECT CONTACT  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

01 ☒ F CONTAMINATION OF SOIL  
03 AREA POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

> 1 acre

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE 3/21/92)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

Analytical results indicated the spill was a potentially contaminated petroleum based oil. Sand was spread over as a means of containment. The soil was later excavated.

01 ☐ G DRINKING WATER CONTAMINATION  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

01 ☒ H WORKER EXPOSURE/INJURY  
03 WORKERS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

~7

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

Some workers in the vicinity, but sight has been cleaned up.  
No injuries documented.

01 ☐ I POPULATION EXPOSURE/INJURY  
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE \_\_\_\_\_)  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

POTENTIAL ALLEGED

None documented or observed.



POTENTIAL HAZARDOUS WASTE SITE  
PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT

PART 3 - DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS

I. IDENTIFICATION

01 STATE 02 SITE NUMBER  
IL D984785071

II. HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS (Continued)

01 ☒ J. DAMAGE TO FLORA  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

02 ☒ OBSERVED (DATE: 3/23/90)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

Trees on the northern + southern banks were stained black. Some stains appeared to be 4 to 5 feet above the H<sub>2</sub>O level. Stained soily shrubbery + trees were removed from the area.

01 ☒ K. DAMAGE TO FAUNA

04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION (Indicate number of locations)

02 ☒ OBSERVED (DATE: 3/21/90)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

A blue heron and several fish were found dead. The deaths are believed to be caused by the spill.

01 ☐ L. CONTAMINATION OF FOOD CHAIN  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: \_\_\_\_\_)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

Several fish were found dead.

01 ☐ M. UNSTABLE CONTAINMENT OF WASTES

(Leak, spill, overflowing, bursting, leaking, etc.)

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: 0

02 ☒ OBSERVED (DATE: 3/21/90)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

Leak from a storage tank.

01 ☐ N. DAMAGE TO OFFSITE PROPERTY

04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: \_\_\_\_\_)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

01 ☐ O. CONTAMINATION OF SEWERS, STORM DRAINS, WWTPs  
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: \_\_\_\_\_)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

01 ☐ P. ILLEGAL/UNAUTHORIZED DUMPING

04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: \_\_\_\_\_)

☐ POTENTIAL

☐ ALLEGED

None documented or observed.

06 DESCRIPTION OF ANY OTHER KNOWN, POTENTIAL OR ALLEGED HAZARDS

None documented or observed.

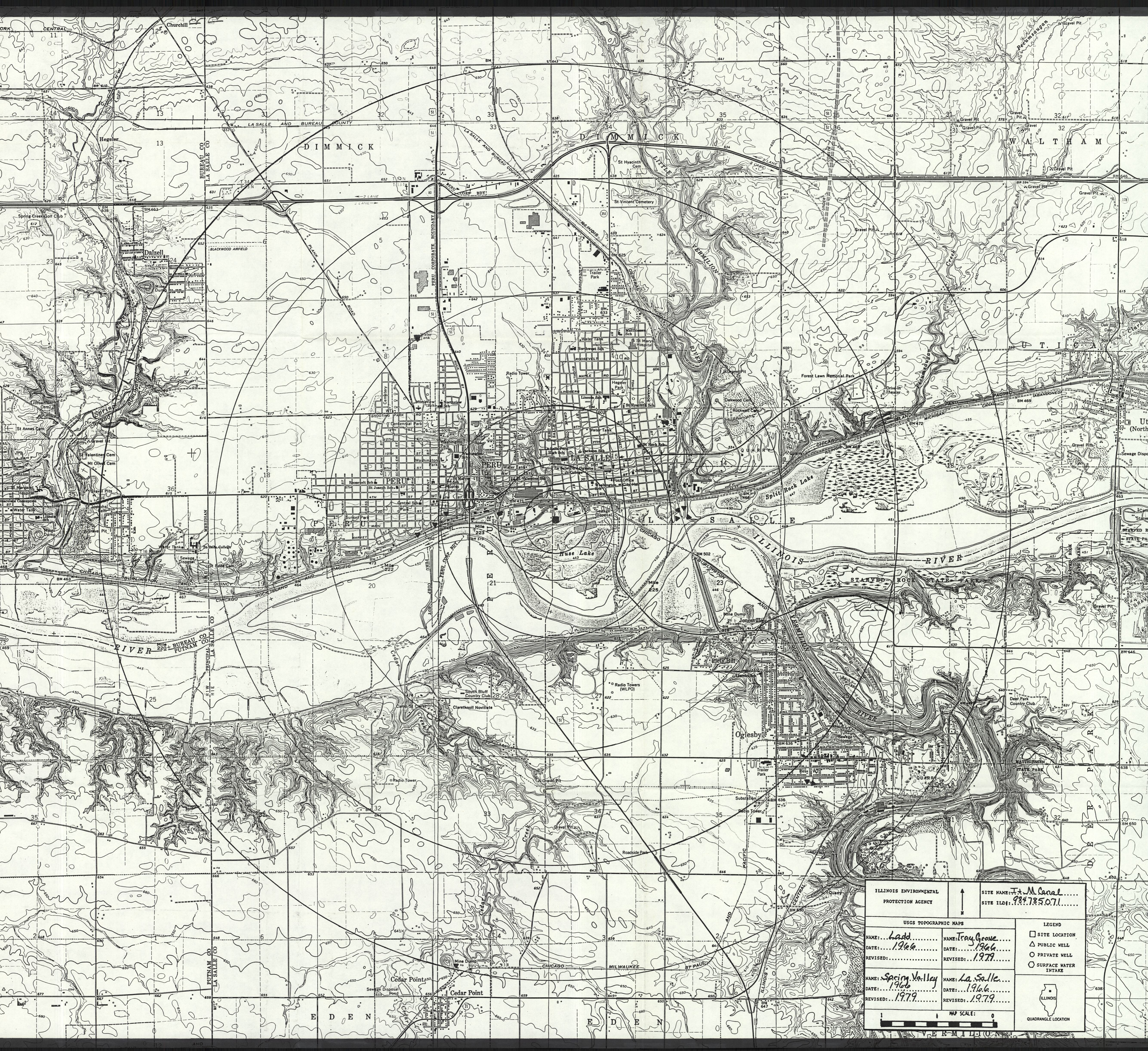
III. TOTAL POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: None

IV. COMMENTS

V. SOURCES OF INFORMATION (Cite specific references, e.g., State files, sample analysis, reports)

USEPA File (from Vernetta Simon, DSC)  
Aber Hashem, USEPA, Chief of Chemical Control Section





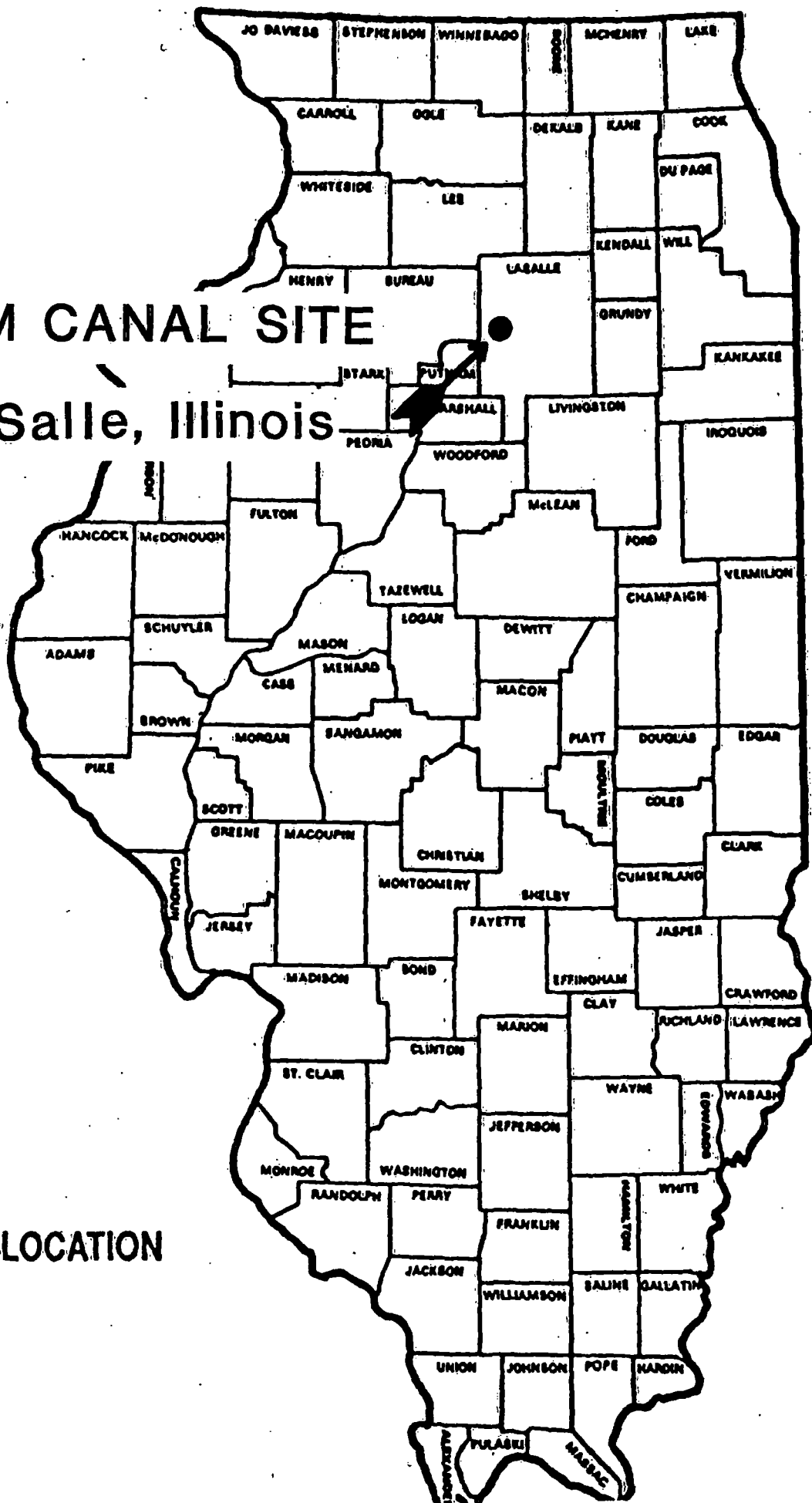
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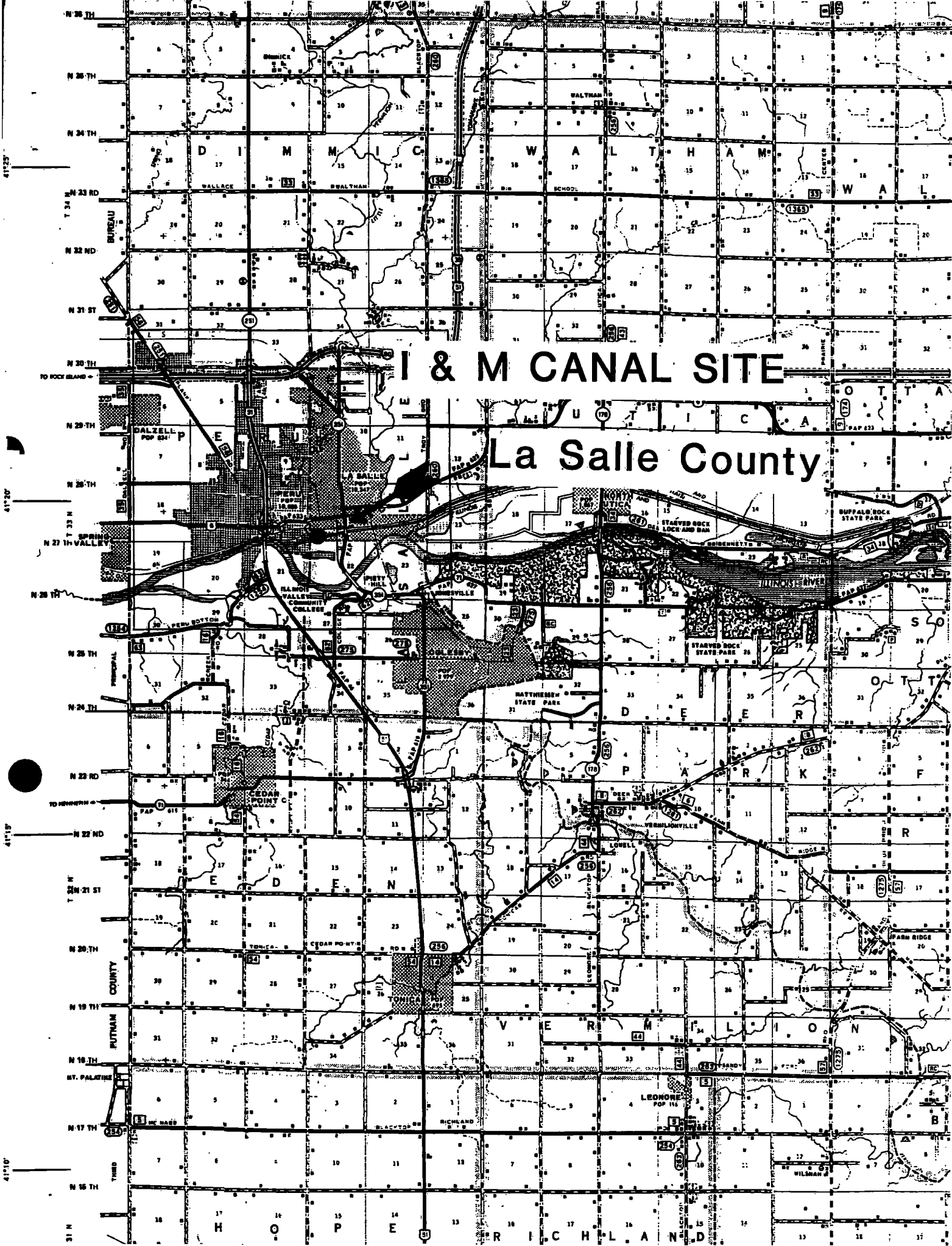


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SITE LOCATION

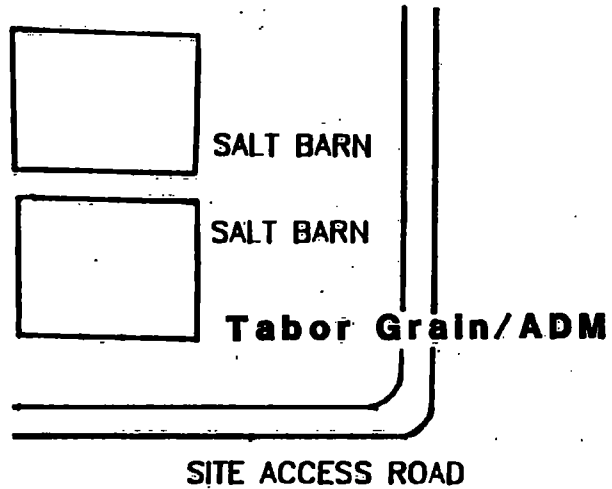




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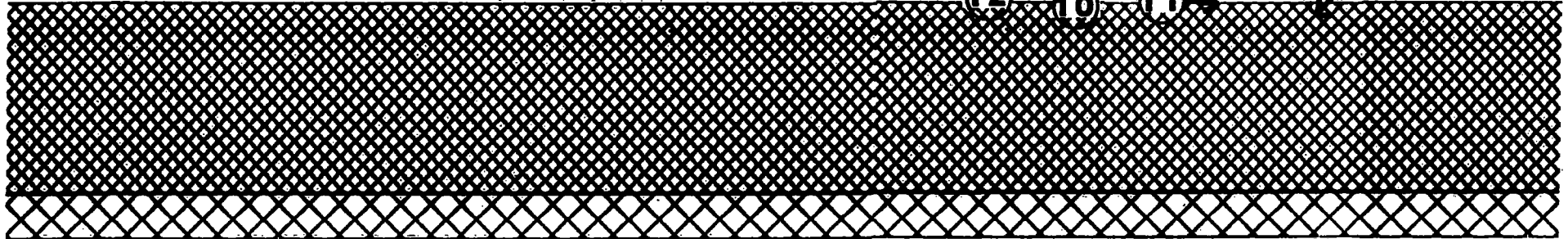
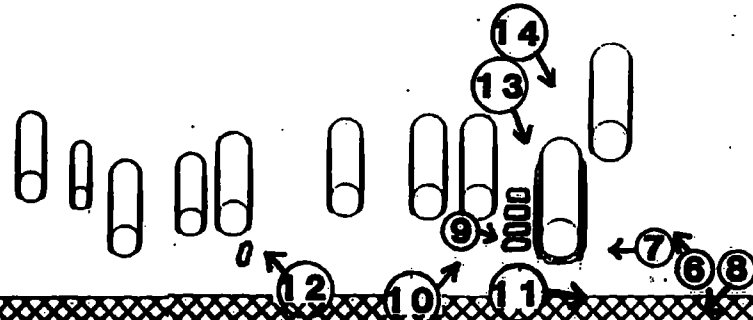
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Vacant Land  
IDOC Property  
Leased to Tabor Grain

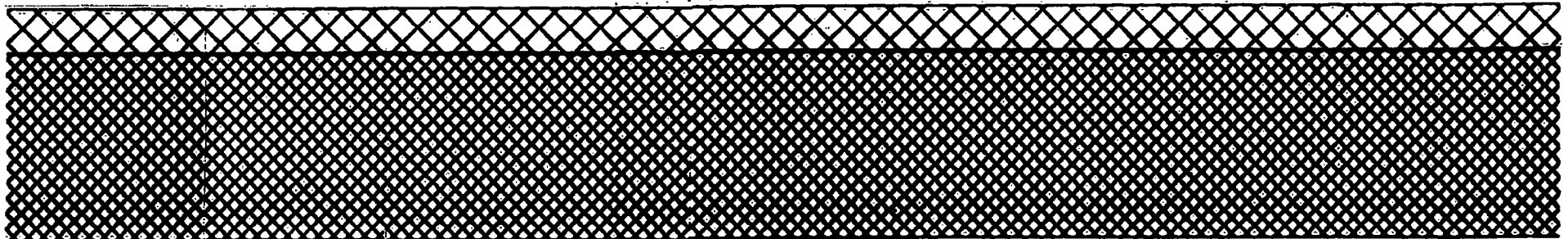
Tanks   
Drums 



I & M CANAL



BOOM CONTAINMENT AREA



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Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 1

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

South



DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:15 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 2

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

West





DATE: March 26, 1991

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PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 3

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

Southwest



DATE: March 26, 1991

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PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 4

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

Southwest





DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:20 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 5

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

South



DATE: March 26, 1991

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PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 6

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

northwest





DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:25 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 7

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

West



DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:25 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 8

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

Southsouthwest





DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:30 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 9

LOCATION: I + M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

southeast



DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:30 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 10

LOCATION: I + M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

northeast





DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:30 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 11

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

east



DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:35 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 12

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

northwest





DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:40 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 13

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

southeast



DATE: March 26, 1991

TIME: 2:40 PM

PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN BY:

Sheila Murphy

PHOTO NUMBER: 14

LOCATION: I+M Canal

COMMENTS: PICTURE TAKEN TOWARD

southeast



# Supporting Documentation

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<u>Reference Number</u>	<u>Document</u>
1	Analytical Results taken from U.S.EPA files March & April 1990
2	IDOC Memo to J. Johnson from L. Closson April 12, 1990
3	Letter to Mr. Heaton (U.S.EPA) April 27, 1990
4	IDOC Conversation Memo May 2, 1990
5	Letter from John Duncan May 19, 1990
6	Letter to Mr. Heaton (U.S.EPA) June 5, 1990
7	Letter from IDOC April 8, 1991
8	Phone Log of T. Werner (IDOC) & S. Murphy (IEPA) June 3, 1991
9	Phone Log of V. Simon (U.S.EPA) & S. Murphy (IEPA)
10	ISWS Well Logs
11	<u>Handbook of Illinois</u> <u>Stratigraphy</u> 1975
12	<u>ISGS Geology &amp; Mineral</u> <u>Resources of the Hennepin &amp; La</u> <u>Salle Quadrangles</u> 1919
13	Phone Log of T. Hudson (Tabor Grain) & S. Murphy June 20, 1991

**Supporting Documentation Cont.**

- 14                      **Phone Log of D. Janka (Len  
Trovero Construction) & S.  
Murphy**  
                            **June 21, 1991**
- 15                      **Phone Log of B. Egan (Len  
Trovero Construction) & S.  
Murphy**  
                            **June 26, 1991**

**Reference  
Number 1**

GRACE ANALYTICAL LAB, INC.  
5300-B McDERMOTT DRIVE, BERKELEY, ILLINOIS 60163

1 OF 1

F001 - F005 SOLVENT WASTES ANALYSIS DATA SHEET  
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STUDY NAME: Weston-90WT03

STUDY NO: GAL-900402

LAB SAMPLE I.D. NO: S-80

FILE REF. NO: &gt;U0358

CAS #	COMPOUND	AMOUNT (ug/kg)
1. 67-64-1	ACETONE	75 U
2. 71-43-2	BENZENE	1.5 U
3. 71-36-3	N-BUTYL ALCOHOL	50 U
4. 75-15-0	CARBON DISULFIDE	3.0 U
5. 56-23-5	CARBON TETRACHLORIDE	1.5 U
6. 108-90-7	CHLOROBENZENE	1.5 U
7. 108-39-4	M-CRESOL	10 U
8. 106-44-5	P-CRESOL	10 U
9. 95-48-7	O-CRESOL	10 U
10. 108-94-1	CYCLOHEXANONE	50 U
11. 95-50-1	1,2-DICHLOROBENZENE	1.5 U
12. 141-78-6	ETHYL ACETATE	50 U
13. 100-41-4	ETHYLBENZENE	18.7
14. 110-80-5	ETHYLENE GLYCOL MONOETHYL ETHER	50 U
15. 60-29-7	ETHYL ETHER	75 U
16. 78-83-1	ISOBUTANOL	50 U
17. 67-56-1	METHANOL	50 U
18. 75-09-2	METHYLENE CHLORIDE	1.0 U
19. 78-93-3	METHYL ETHYL KETONE	50 U
20. 108-10-1	METHYL ISOBUTYL KETONE	3.0 U
21. 98-95-3	NITROBENZENE	1.5 U
22. 79-46-9	2-NITROPROPANE	50 U
23. 110-86-1	PYRIDINE	1.5 U
24. 127-19-4	TETRACHLOROETHYLENE	1.5 U
25. 108-88-3	TOLUENE	38.1
26. 71-55-6	1,1,1-TRICHLOROETHANE	1.5 U
27. 79-00-5	1,1,2-TRICHLOROETHANE	1.5 U
28. 76-13-1	1,1,2-TRICHLORO-1,2,2-TRIFLUOROETHANE	1.5 U
29. 79-01-6	TRICHLOROETHYLENE	1.5 U
30. 75-69-4	TRICHLOROFLUOROMETHANE	1.5 U
31. 1330-20-7	XYLENE (total)	17.3

CODES: U - COMPOUND WAS ANALYZED FOR BUT NOT DETECTED. THE VALUE  
REPORTED IS THE METHOD DETECTION LIMIT FOR REAGENT WATER.

J - ESTIMATED VALUE.

SLC - SUSPECTED LABORATORY CONTAMINANT.

SFC - SUSPECTED FIELD CONTAMINANT.

SPACE ANALYTICAL LABORATORY  
5300-B McDERMOTT DRIVE  
BERKELEY, ILLINOIS 60165

708/449-9449

F001-F005 SOLVENT WASTES  
ORGANICS ANALYSIS DATA SHEET  
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STUDY NAME: Weston / 90WT03

STUDY NO: GAL-900402

SAMPLE I.O. NO: S-30

FILE REF. NO: &gt;U0356

TENTATIVELY  
IDENTIFIED COMPOUNDS  
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ESTIMATED AMOUNT  
(ug/kg)  
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Phthalene	95.1
2-Methylnaphthalene	1040
Dibenzofuran	114
Pentachlorophenol	211
Phenanthrene	375
Anthracene	65.8
Fluoranthene	248
Pyrene	462
Benzo(a)anthracene	149
Chrysene	226
Bis(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	30.6
Di-n-octylphthalate	14.6
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	109
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	91.9
Benzo(a)pyrene	154
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	89.2
Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	39.4
Benzo(ghi)perylene	116

# PRELIMINARY

SPACE ANALYTICAL LAB, INC.  
5700-B ROBERTS DRIVE, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA 94705

## CHROMIUM ANALYSIS DATA SHEET

STUDY NAME: Weston-900402

STUDY NO: GAL-900402

SAMPLE I.D. NO: S-80

TEST	RESULT
Total Chromium	< 0.5 ppm
Total Sulfide	< 1.0 ppm
Phenols	< 1.0 ppm
pH	8.5
Paint Filter Test	Pass



12.

20:31 Dec. 20 2006

## CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD

Distribution: White    Accompanies Shipment: Pink    Coordinating Field File: Yellow    Laboratory File:



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Chicago, IL 60606 • (312) 993-1067 • FAX (312) 993-0226

by fax  
13/29/90

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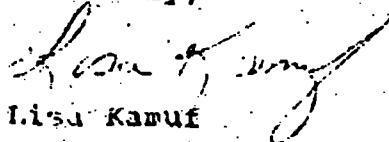
Commanding Officer  
USCG-Marine Safety Laboratory  
Avery Point  
Groton, CT 06340

Re: Illinois and Michigan Canal Oil Spill at LaSalle-Peru, IL

Dear Commander:

Enclosed are three samples collected 26 March 1990, which USEPA On-Scene Coordinator Verneta J. Simon has contacted you about. Please refer to the Chain of Custody for correct sampling times. As the one who collected the samples, I would like to further clarify the sample locations. Oil-A was collected from material spilled directly beneath the ruptured tank. Oil-B, containing sand with oil, was collected from a seep on the northern bank of the canal, directly beneath the ruptured tank. Oil-C was collected in the sediments at the water line in the canal. Should you have any question or need additional information, please contact me at (312) 993-1067 or Verneta J. Simon at (312) 886-3601 or FTS 886-3601.

Sincerely,

  
Lisa Karuf



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

**REGION 5**

**230 SOUTH DEARBORN ST.**

**CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60604**

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

SHS-12

Commanding Officer  
USCG - Marine Safety Laboratory  
Avery Point  
Groton, CT 06340

RE: Illinois and Michigan Canal Oil Spill at LaSalle, Peru, IL

Dear Commander:

U.S. EPA Region V is requesting analysis of three oil samples collected on March 26, 1990 from a spill along the Illinois and Michigan canal. These samples are being shipped by Federal Express and should arrive at your laboratory this afternoon. Please telefax your results to FTS 353-9176.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (312) 886-3601 or FTS 886-3601.

Sincerely,

*Verneta J. Simon*

Verneta J. Simon  
On-Scene Coordinator

U.S. Department  
of Transportation

United States  
Coast Guard



Commanding Officer  
U. S. Coast Guard  
Central Oil Identification  
Laboratory

Avery Point  
Groton, CT 06340-6096  
Phone: (203) 441-2645  
FIS-642-2645

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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 5  
ATTN: Verneta J. Simon  
230 South Dearborn St.  
Chicago, IL 60604

Dear Ms. Simon,

The laboratory analysis of the oil samples for your case COIL, Case No. 90-282 has been completed. Conclusions are based upon comparisons described in the Summary of Analysis.

The original technical data supporting the report (spectrograms and chromatograms) have been archived at our facility and are available upon request.

We will maintain the oil samples in refrigerated storage pending your instructions.

If you have any questions concerning this report or the analytical methods used, please contact the Supervisor of Analysis, CDR GIBSON. He can be reached at (203) 441-2645.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "L H Gibson".

L. H. GIBSON  
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard  
Commanding Officer

Encl: (1) COIL Report 90-282  
(2) OIS Addendum

Copy: Commander, Ninth Coast Guard District (mer) w/o encl (1) and (2)

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD  
OIL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY

OIL SPILL IDENTIFICATION REPORT

LABORATORY CASE NUMBER: 90-282

REQUESTOR: US ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, REGION V

UNIT CASE NUMBER: NONE

RECEIVED: 90MAR28 VIA: FEDERAL EXPRESS (# 3543893614)

NUMBER OF SAMPLES: THREE (03)

LAB NO. OF SPILLS: 1

LAB NO. OF SUSPECTS: 2 AND 3

LAB NO. OF CLEAN WATER: NONE

ANALYSIS METHODS:

FLUORESCENCE SPECTROSCOPY (FL)

GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY (GC)

INFRARED SPECTROSCOPY (IR)

THIN LAYER CHROMATOGRAPHY (TLC)

RESULTS:

1. Sample 1 was specified to be representative of the spilled oil. Analysis indicates it has the characteristics of a moderately weathered mixture of light petroleum distillate heavy petroleum oil.

2. Samples 2 and 3 are observed to be similar to each other and to contain a mixture of light petroleum distillate and heavy petroleum oil with characteristics similar to those of sample 1. Minor differences noted are consistent with observed weathering patterns for this type of mixture of petroleum oils.

CONCLUSIONS:

1. Suspected source samples 2 and 3 and spill sample 1 are derived from a common source. Minor differences noted are directly attributable to variations in weathering of the samples.

*L. H. Gibson*

SUPERVISOR OF ANALYSIS L. H. GIBSON, CDR, USCG DATE: 90MAR29  
Chemical Engineer

**OIL SAMPLE ANALYSIS REPORT**

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION V  
CASE NUMBER NONE**

**OIL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY  
CASE NUMBER 90-282**

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD  
OIL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY

REQUESTOR: EPA REGION V UNIT CASE#: NONE

Samples were observed to be: broken NO, tampered with NO, leaking YES, or subject to contamination NO. For these and other unusual conditions, place an asterisk (\*) next to the sample(s) in question and describe condition of sample(s) in remarks below.

REMARKS:

Supervisor of Analysis: LH Nelson Date: 29 MAR 90

MAR-29-1990 15:19 FROM CG MEL GPOTON, CT TO 03539176 P.09

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**REPORT TO:**

Bill Missal  
CNC  
2000 Dombey Road  
Portage, IN 46368



Date: 3/29/90

**Recd: 3/26/90**

NO: 22-1425

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**Certified by:**

Carl G. Curtis

**TECHNO LABORATORIES**  
BPM INDUSTRIES  
1150 Junction Avenue - Schererville, Indiana 46375  
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**Bill Missal**  
**CRC**

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Portage, IN 46368

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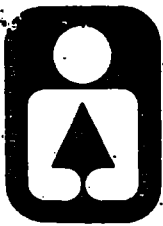
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ND=Not Detected at 1 mg/l or



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Office  
memorandum

**Reference  
Number 2**

to: Jay Johnson  
from: Larry Closson  
date: April 2, 1990  
subject: Field Report #90-1-28 - Oil Spill on the I-M Canal

Attached find a field report concerning an oil spill which occurred on the I-M Canal. Now that it has been determined that these tanks are on Department of Conservation property, I am recommending that further follow-up on this case be handled by our Legal Section, as well as the Division of Land Management.

It is my understanding that you want questions regarding <sup>any leased land</sup> ~~this~~ referred to Ron Chezem. I will notify my personnel of this.

*Lam*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Larry D. Closson, Chief

LDC:dep

Attachment

Complaint: Oil Spill on the I-M Canal Date Occurred: 03-21-90 Time: 100 P M  
Date Reported: 03-22-90m Time: 500 P M

## Location of Occurrence

LaSalle City owned property east of Tabor Grain Company

Complainant (Last-First-MI) Address Phone  
State of Illinois

Code: A-Arrested D-Person Discovering Crime O-Offender V-Victim W-Witness X-Other  
(Last-First-MI) Address Phone  
0 Len Trovero Construction - Central Illinois Contracting Corporation

Race DNA Sex X Date of Birth / X / Weight X Height X Hair X Eyes X Build X Complexion X Tattoos-Scars-Marks X

Code: (Last-First-MI) Address Phone  
0 City of LaSalle

Race DNA Sex X Date of Birth / X / Weight X Height X Hair X Eyes X Build X Complexion X Tattoos-Scars-Marks X

Code: (Last-First-MI) Address Phone

Race Sex Date of Birth / / Weight Height Hair Eyes Build Complexion Tattoos-Scars-Marks

Code: (Last-First-MI) Address Phone

Race Sex Date of Birth / / Weight Height Hair Eyes Build Complexion Tattoos-Scars-Marks

Vehicle Year Make Color VIN/Serial Number License No. (Year-State) Towed Yes No  
DNA X X X X X

## 7. Narrative:

On 03-21-90, at approximately 10:50 AM, I was contacted by Robert T. Hudson, General Manager of Tabor Grain Company in LaSalle. Hudson had informed me that a large amount of what appeared to be oil was leaking from an old tank on the property adjacent to the grain company. Mr. Hudson also told me that he knew who owned the tank and that he was willing to take me to it.

CPO Eric Anderson and myself travelled to LaSalle to answer the complaint.

Upon our arrival, we contacted CPO Harris Brewer and Lt. Jim Thomas who at the time were answering fishermen's complaints that oil was emerging from the canal into the river. Officer Anderson and my-self informed Lt. Thomas and CPO Brewer that we had found the source of the pollution and that

Evidence Seized Yes No Type & Identifying Numbers Photographs

Location Where Evidence is Stored (Address)  
Region I H.Q. Sterling Office

Reporting Officer(s) Date Signed Dist.-Region Reviewing Supervisor Date Reviewed  
Travi 289 03-22-90 20 I R. Simmons 3/25/90

Other Agencies Contacted-Referral Date Contacted Person Contacted  
Illinois E.P.A.; U.S. E.P.A. 03-21-90 John Krolak, Verneta Simon

Case Status Referred to other Jurisdiction X Pending  
Cleared by Arrest Closed Unfounded



## Conservation Law Enforcement

## SUPPLEMENTARY

Complaint		See title page		Date — Time Reported	
1.	Code:	A — Arrested D — Person Discovering Crime O — Offender V — Victim W — Witness X — Other			
		Name — Last-First-MI Address		Race	Sex
2.					

## Narrative:

Robert Hudson was going to take us to the leaking tank.

At 1:00 p.m. we met with Tabor Grain employee Bill Kurtz, who showed us where the leaking tank was located. Upon visual inspection of the site, we observed large quantities of what appeared to be oil underneath the tank, on both sides of the canal, and in the canal itself. (See Photos)

At this time a truck arrived at the site bearing the business logo of Len Trovero Construction Company on its side. The men driving the vehicles identified themselves to me as Donald Janka and Bill Egan, both employees of Len Trovero. The men began to look over the tank in an effort to correct the situation. Janka informed me that the tanks belonged to Central Illinois Contracting Corporation which is owned by Len Trovero.

At approximately 1:30 p.m. Mayor Paul Murphy of LaSalle arrived at the site and talked to Lt. Thomas. It was learned that the leaking tank rested on the City of LaSalles property. Lt. Thomas and CPO Brewer aided Robert Hudson and his crew in laying out a floating boom in order to confine the spill to one area of the shoreline.

At approximately 2:00 p.m. I contacted the Illinois E.P.A. and notified them of the spill. The Illinois E.P.A. did not have anyone available for us so they referred me to Paul Steadman of the U.S. E.P.A. I contacted Steadmans office and talked to Jack Barnett. Barnett told me that he was

Reporting Officer(s)	Date Signed	Dist. — Region	Reviewing Supervisor	Date Reviewed
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Complaint

See title page

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Name — Last-First-MI Address Race Sex Date of Birth

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## Narrative:

sending an onscene coordinator and an engineer to our location from Chicago.

At approximately the same time Charles Trovero arrived at the site to aid in the cleanup. Mr. Trovero introduced himself to me as Chuck Trovero son of Len Trovero. He also told me that they (Trovero Construction) owned the tanks. Chuck Trovero also told us that the tanks contained high viscosity M.C. asphalt oil. The leaking tank had a capacity of 10,000 gallons, however, it is unknown if the tank was full to capacity.

At 4:30 p.m. Verneta J. Simon and her assistant from the U.S. E.P.A. arrived. Simon viewed the site, talked to Charles Trovero and began plans for cleanup. Simon brought in a company by the name of CMC to start the cleanup. CMC's project manager for the cleanup was William Missal. Officer Anderson and myself left the site at approximately 6:00 p.m. Cleanup continued through the night.

On 03-22-90 at approximately 9:00 a.m. I contacted the LaSalle County State's Attorneys office in reference to the spill. I was referred to Robert M. Eschbach, environmental attorney for the LaSalle County State's Attorney office. I explained the details of the case to Mr. Eschbach and he agreed to meet me at 1:00 p.m. that day to look the situation over.

At approximately 10:00 a.m., I met Lt. Thomas at the site. I was informed at that time that CMC may halt the cleanup because Trovero's would

Reporting Officer(s) Date Signed Dist. — Region Reviewing Supervisor Date Reviewed

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Other Agencies Contacted — Referred Date Contacted Person Contacted

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— Cleared by Arrest — Closed — Unfounded



Conservation Law Enforcement

SUPPLEMENTARY

Complaint

See title page

Date — Time Reported

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	Name — Last-First-MI	Address			Race	Sex	Date of Birth
2.							

Narrative:

not sign a contract with them. I also took Mark McConnaughay, Site Superintendant for the canal, the canals fisheries biologist, U.S. E.P.A. Verneta Simon, and Charles Trovero out onto the canal in the work boat to visually check the canal and the Departments property which included the opposite bank. Verneta Simon concurred that the spill was bad enough on the opposite bank to justify its cleanup.

At 1:00 p.m. we met with Assistant State's Attorney Robert Eschbach. Mr. Eschbach viewed the site and told us to get back with him when we have concluded our investigation in order to have charges filed.

At approximately 2:30 p.m., Bill Missal advised me that he would not continue cleanup because Trovero would not sign an agreement.

At approximately 3:00 p.m., I had a telephone conversation with Jack Barnett of U.S. E.P.A. Barnett informed me that the project had been Federalized and that funding was available for Verneta Simon to hire a cleanup contractor. I was also told that CMC had settled their differences with Trovero, a contract was signed and that a cleanup would continue through the night.

Charges against Trovero and possibly the City of LaSalle are pending. Included in this report are evidence photographs, a diagram of the site, and a voluntary statement from Robert Hudson.

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# VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

(NOT UNDER ARREST)

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I, Robert Todd Hudson, am not under arrest for, nor am I being detained for any criminal

offenses concerning the events I am about to make known to Dept of Conservation  
Without being accused of or questioned about any criminal offenses regarding the facts I am about to state, I volunteer the following information of my own free will, for whatever purposes it may serve.

I am 36 years of age, and I live at 254-5<sup>TH</sup> ST. LASALLE, ILL. 61301

3/21/90 (10:30 A.M.) MET (2) IDOC OFFICERS NEAR OUR east property line. They informed me they were investigating a report of a barrel of oil leaking into the I+M CANAL. We searched the area to no success AND they decided to get a boat and check the CANAL by water (10:45 A.M.) After they left I continued my search and found a tank leaking oil into the CANAL on property adjacent to TABOR Grain Co. property.  
(10:46 A.M.) Had our dispatcher call IDOC. Local office AND notify them I had located the leak.  
(10:47 A.M.) Notified I.E.P.A. John Krolak recorder  
(10:48 A.M.) Notified MAYOR OF LASALLE'S OFFICE  
(10:50 A.M.) CALLED Scott Trivi IDOC AND explained the problem.  
(10:53 A.M.) Notified A.D.M./TABOR MGT. + Legal Dept.  
(1:30 P.M.) MET WITH I.D.O.C. OFFICERS, POLICE, + MAYOR MURPHY  
(1:35 P.M.) I.D.O.C. + TROVER's Rep. Bill Egan <sup>ASK TIME</sup> to help find pollution pollution containment equipment.  
(1:40 P.M.) CALLED C.F. Dock Doug Lewis for help + Equipment boom  
(1:45 P.M.) CALLED S.T. Dock, George for help " "  
(1:50 P.M.) TROVER's OFFICE CALLED Mr. Youka's secretary asked for help.  
(2:00 P.M.) CALLED UICATERMINAL Greg Pihall for equipment.

I have read each page of this statement consisting of 2 page(s), each page of which bears my signature, and corrections, if any, bear my initials, and I certify that the facts contained herein are true and correct.

Stated at LASALLE, TABOR Office, this 22 day of MARCH 1990.

WITNESS: Scott Trivi 289

Robert T. Hudson  
Signature of person giving voluntary statement.

WITNESS: Eric C. Anderson 293  
IL 422-0487





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(2:00 P.M.) The rest of the afternoon I used the M/V Miss-T and TABOR personnel to load and deploy pollution containment equipment in the CANAL.

Several years ago when Mayor Gunia was in office I asked him if we could get the tanks moved he said he would check into it. Mr Len Trovero notified me that they were his and he had permission to store them on city property.

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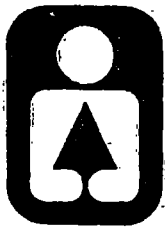
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# memorandum

to: Report #

from: CPO Travi

date: 03-22-90

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subject: Trovato spill

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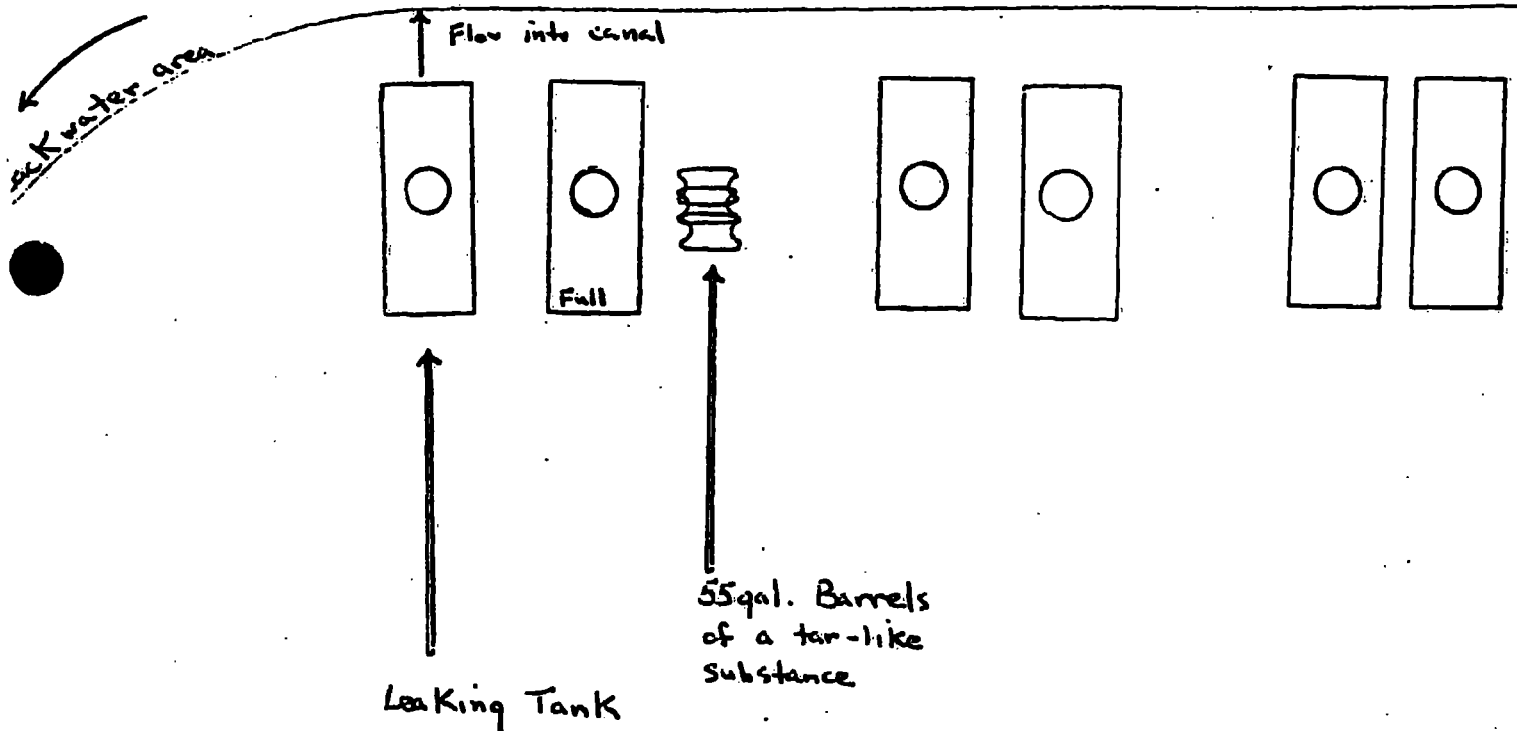
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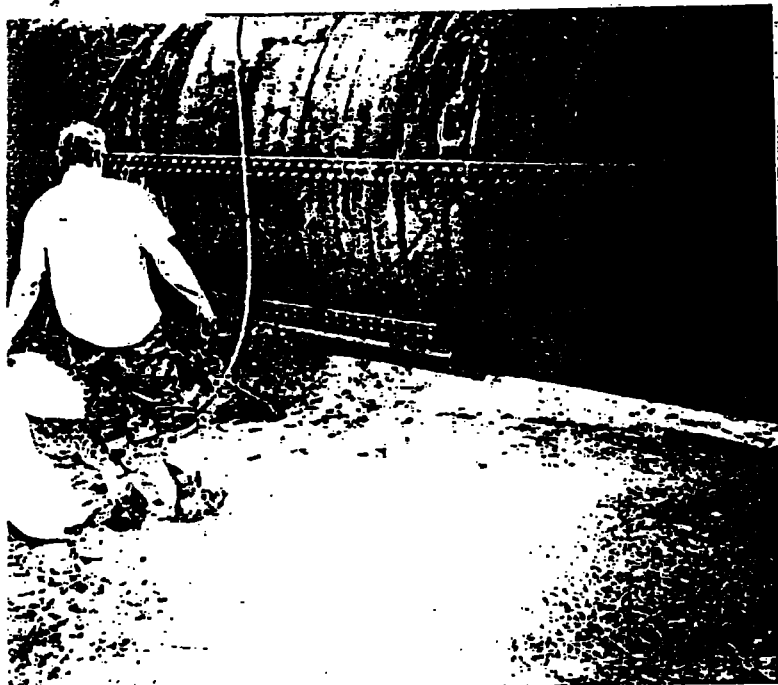
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I-M canal ROW

> To Illinois River









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**TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TEAM FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE REMOVAL AND PREVENTION  
EPA CONTRACT 68-01-7367**

Mr. Duane Heaton  
Deputy Project Officer  
Emergency Support Section, 5HS-12  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
230 South Dearborn Street  
Chicago, IL 60604

April 27, 1990

TAT-05-G2-01809

Re: LaSalle Oil Spill, LaSalle, Illinois  
TDD# 5-9003-31

Dear Mr. Heaton:

At 1325 hours on March 23, 1990, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) tasked the Technical Assistance Team (TAT) to respond to an oil spill on the Illinois and Michigan (I&M) Canal in LaSalle, LaSalle County, Illinois (Figure 1).

TAT members Anne Potje and Kevin Axe arrived at the spill at 1600 hours on March 23, 1990. The TAT observed that the spill had originated from a railroad tank car located on the northern bank of the I&M Canal south of the intersection of Chartres and Canal Streets in the southern section of LaSalle, Illinois. Surface topography slopes downward from downtown LaSalle towards the canal. The canal joins the Illinois River approximately one mile west of the spill site. Site geology consists of several feet of manmade fill overlying Wisconsinian-aged glacial till. Local bedrock is highly fractured Silurian-and Ordovician-aged dolomites.

U.S. EPA On-Scene Coordinator (OSC) Vernetta Simon, who had responded to the spill on March 21, 1990, was on site, monitoring the removal efforts of the Potentially Responsible Party (PRP). OSC Simon informed the TAT that on March 21, 1990 two fishermen had reported oil on the surface of the I&M Canal to the Illinois Department of Conservation. On the same day, the Department of Conservation reported the incident to the U.S. EPA, and the PRP. PRP Chuck Trovero of Len Trovero Construction Company (Trovero), although disclaiming ownership of the tanks, mobilized Trovero personnel and equipment, and CMC of Portage, Indiana to begin a cleanup.

The TAT observed six railroad tank cars and four smaller tanks on a bank 15 to 20 feet above the canal (Figure 2). The area surrounding the tanks was not fenced. Road salt residues were observed mixed with the surface clay and gravel of the parking area immediately north of the tanks. Dump trucks carrying road salt

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MAJOR PROGRAMS DIVISION**

In Association with ICF Technology, Inc., C.C. Johnson & Malhotra, P.C., Resource Applications, Inc.,  
and R.E. Sarriera Associates



Mr. Duane Heaton

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from a neighboring storage facility passed within 50 yards of the tanks regularly. PRP personnel reported that the site was previously a lowland where unregulated dumping had taken place for decades. The TAT observed construction debris and drum fragments imbedded in the bank. The TAT observed a dead blue heron, which was covered in a black, tar-like material.

The PRP had pulled the leaking railroad tank car away from the bank, exposing an opening at the bottom of the tank that was stained with the black material. At the time of the initial response, the PRP had sealed this opening with a metal plate. The TAT observed approximately 200 feet of booms placed in the canal to contain the black material which continued to enter the canal from stained sediments at the shoreline. The TAT observed black stains on trees 4 to 5 feet above the current water level, indicating that the water level in the canal fluctuated. Some of the stains appeared to be recent while others appeared to be older. Stained trees were visible on both the northern and southern banks of the canal.

OSC Simon stated that the PRP had crossed the canal and removed oil-stained soil and debris from the southern bank. The PRP was continuing to remove stained soil, shrubbery, and debris from the northern bank of the canal with a backhoe, and had constructed a berm around a pool of material that remained on the soil surface next to the railroad tank car.

The TAT interviewed Mr. Trovero, who indicated that approximately 1500 gallons of material had been released from the railroad tank car through a torn valve at the bottom of the tank.

The TAT observed a seep of the thick black material emanating from the bank approximately six feet below the land surface, beneath the apparent original location of the spilled tank. CMC had used a backhoe to scrape stained soils from the bank, uncovering the seep. The seep was approximately eight inches in diameter and had flowed a distance of approximately one foot. The TAT suggested that this seep could continue to flow over the weekend, and recontaminate the canal. OSC Simon convinced Mr. Trovero to allow the booms to remain in the canal over the weekend as a means of containment. Mr. Trovero also ordered CMC to spread a four-inch layer of sand over the seep as a means of containment.

CMC collected a sample of the black material, and upon the OSC's request was arranging for polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) analysis. In addition, CMC was planning to analyze the sample for flash point and extraction procedure (EP) toxicity, in order to obtain disposal

**WESTEN**

Mr. Duane Heaton

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approval. By 1720 hours, the courier from CMC's subcontracted lab had not yet arrived to pick up the sample, and OSC Simon requested that TAT collect a sample to verify the PRP results.

At 1720 hours, CMC was continuing to use a vacuum truck to remove oil from the water surface inside the booms. Small patches of oil remained on the water surface, and at the OSC's suggestion, CMC then attempted to remove the remaining oil using sorbent pads. After approximately 20 minutes, Mr. Trovero stated that his contractors had cleaned the spill to his satisfaction.

At approximately 1750 hours, Mr. Trovero released two dump trucks owned by his construction company from the site and allowed CMC to discontinue cleanup efforts. The dump trucks, lined with visqueen and carrying the contaminated soil and debris, were to be parked in a lot owned by Trovero until disposal approval was obtained. CMC then commenced with equipment decontamination, depositing contaminated protective gear and miscellaneous contaminated debris in plastic bags. The plastic bags were staged on visqueen to remain on site over the weekend.

Upon inspection of the sediments at the waterline, the TAT observed that 20 to 30 square yards of sediments contaminated with material remained, and that black material continued to enter the water from these sediments. The TAT removed the remaining oil from the water surface using sorbent pads. The pads and personal protective clothing were subsequently placed in plastic bags and staged with CMC materials.

The TAT collected a sample from the bermed pool of material atop the bank at 1900 hours. CMC personnel completed decontamination and exited the site at approximately 1930 hours. The TAT, accompanied by OSC Simon, exited the spill site at 1945 hours.

On Monday, March 26, 1990, the TAT samples were transported to Suburban Laboratories in Hillside, Illinois and analyzed for PCBs, flash point, and EP toxicity metals under TAT Analytical Services TDD# 5-9003-L12. On the same day TAT members Potje and Lisa Kamuf returned to the spill site to determine if tar seepage from the bank was continuing, and to perform a Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) inspection at the site (Attachment A).

The TAT observed that the seep had continued to flow down the bank, within 15 feet of the water line, and had reached a length of 10 to 15 feet. TAT photographed the seep and the ten tanks on site (Attachment B), and measured the tanks. Estimated tank volumes,



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derived from field measurements, are as follows: one 2,000-gallon tank, three 4,000 gallon tanks, one 4,500-gallon railroad tank car, two 5,500 gallon railroad tank car, one 6,000-gallon railroad tanker, and two 10,000 gallon railroad tank cars. It is one of the 10,000-gallon tankers that spilled on or before March 21, 1990.

The volume and type of materials contained in the tanks could not be determined, as none of the tanks were clearly labelled. TAT photographed the markings on the tanks. Of interest are the markings on the spilled tank, which read, in part "L.S. & B.C. 1403," and "LASALLE & UREAU" indicating the tank may have at one time belonged to the LaSalle and Bureau County Railroad. The TAT observed nine drums located among the tanks, eight of which were on their sides, with black material leaking from bungs and pinholes. The ninth drum was crushed, and had leaked approximately one gallon of black material.

As requested by OSC Simon, the TAT also collected three samples for analysis at the U.S. Coast Guard Central (USCG) Oil Identification Laboratory in Groton, Connecticut. The first sample was collected from the pooled material atop the bank. The second sample was collected from the seep, and the third sample was collected from the stained sediments at the canal waterline.

The TAT researched the tax numbers of the property on which the tanks stood and determined that the tanks are situated on untaxed land.

Results of the analyses, obtained on April 3, 1990, indicated the PCB concentration of the sample was below method detection limits, the flash point was greater than 212 degrees Fahrenheit, and the material was not hazardous based on the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) characteristic of EP toxicity.

Results of the USCG oil analyses indicate that the spilled material is a petroleum-based oil. Also, the USCG concluded that the material spilled directly next to the tank, the material seeping from the bank, and the material that entered the I&M canal can all reasonably be construed to be the same material.





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Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Anne B. Potje".

Anne B. Potje,  
Environmental Scientist

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sally Metz".

For William R. Doyle  
Technical Assistance Team  
Leader, Region V

ABP:dn

Attachments

cc: V. Simon, OSC  
P. Schaefer

# A. SPCC INSPECTION FIELD SHEET

(To be completed if SPCC Regulation is applicable to Facility - see 40CFR Part 112.1.)

SEE  
INSTRUCTIONS  
ON REVERSE

1A. NAME OF FACILITY unk. - EPA site name = LaSalle Oil Spill - J.M Canal		1B. TYPE OF FACILITY Bulk Storage
1C. FACILITY LOCATION no street address - at the intersection of Chautauque River Sts., LaSalle, IL 61301		
1D. NAME OF OWNER AND/OR OPERATOR RESPONSIBLE FOR FACILITY Owner = Ill. Dept. of Conservation / Operator: Len Trovero Construction		1E. TELEPHONE NUMBER Area Code ( ) see comments
1F. MAILING ADDRESS see comments		

## 2. TYPES OF OIL STORED AND CAPACITY OF ABOVEGROUND AND BURIED STORAGE.

material stored is reportedly road oil

# of tanks	cap'y
2	10,000 gal
1	6,000 gal
2	5,500
1	4,500
3	4,000
1	2,000

4. IS A CERTIFIED SPCC PLAN AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	5. DATE OF INSPECTION 3-26-90
6. NAME AND REGISTRATION NUMBER OF CERTIFYING ENGINEER NOT AVAILABLE	7. DATE SPCC PLAN WAS CERTIFIED NOT AVAILABLE
8. IS SPCC PLAN FULLY IMPLEMENTED? (Are the items called for in the Plan in the interest of spill prevention actually installed - if observable?) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT APPLICABLE	
9. NAME OF WATER BODY THAT POTENTIAL SPILL COULD ENTER OR IF UNNAMED TRIBUTARY, THEN FIRST NAMED WATERBODY DOWNSTREAM (if known) J.M Canal into Illinois river	

## 10. COMMENTS (Include comments by owner/operator - write on back or attach extra sheets if needed)

- \* No secondary containment
- \* tanks unlabeled
- \* improper tank supports
- \* No SPCC plan exists

- \* no contingency plan
- \* no sorbents onsite
- \* NAME OF FACILITY UNKNOWN
- \* OWNERSHIP OF TANKS IS IN QUESTION

Owner:  
Illinois Department of Conservation  
524 S. 2nd St.  
Springfield, IL 62701  
(217) 782-6302

Operator:  
Len Trovero Construction  
1 LaSalle Road  
LaSalle, IL 61301  
(815) 223-5220

11A. SPCC NO.	11B. CASE NO.	11C. NPDES NO. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT AVAILABLE
12A. INSPECTOR (SIGN) Anne B. Pote		12B. DATE 4-6-90
12C. INSPECTOR (PRINT) Anne B. Pote		

## C. DETAILED SPCC DOCUMENTATION

SEE  
INSTRUCTIONS  
ON PAGE 1

## FACILITY

UNK. - EPA site name = LaSalle oil spill

## DATE OF INSPECTION

3-26-90

## 1. FACILITY DESCRIPTION

## 1A. TYPE OF BUSINESS/OPERATION

bulk storage facility

## 1B. FACILITY OIL STORAGE

## # of tanks

## Capacity (gal.)

## contents

2

10,000

{ reportedly road oil; one of these  
spilled on or before 3-21-90, no  
contains only residue:

1

6,000

2

5,500

} — unknown

1

4,500

3

4,000

suspected empty -

1

2,000

unknown

## 1C. PREVENTION MEASURES PROVIDED

No diking around any of the tanks. No sorbents on site. No contingency plans. No drainage collection system. Unrestricted access.

## 1D. APPEARANCE OF FACILITY (if appropriate)

Tanks are rusty and apparently abandoned, since no past or present landowner claims ownership of tanks. Several tanks are not upright. Some tanks rest directly on ground. Other tanks rest on timber supports which do not appear to meet 29 CFR 1910.104 (b) (5) requirements. Tank spacing does not meet 29 CFR 1910.104 (b) (2)(ii) spacing requirements.

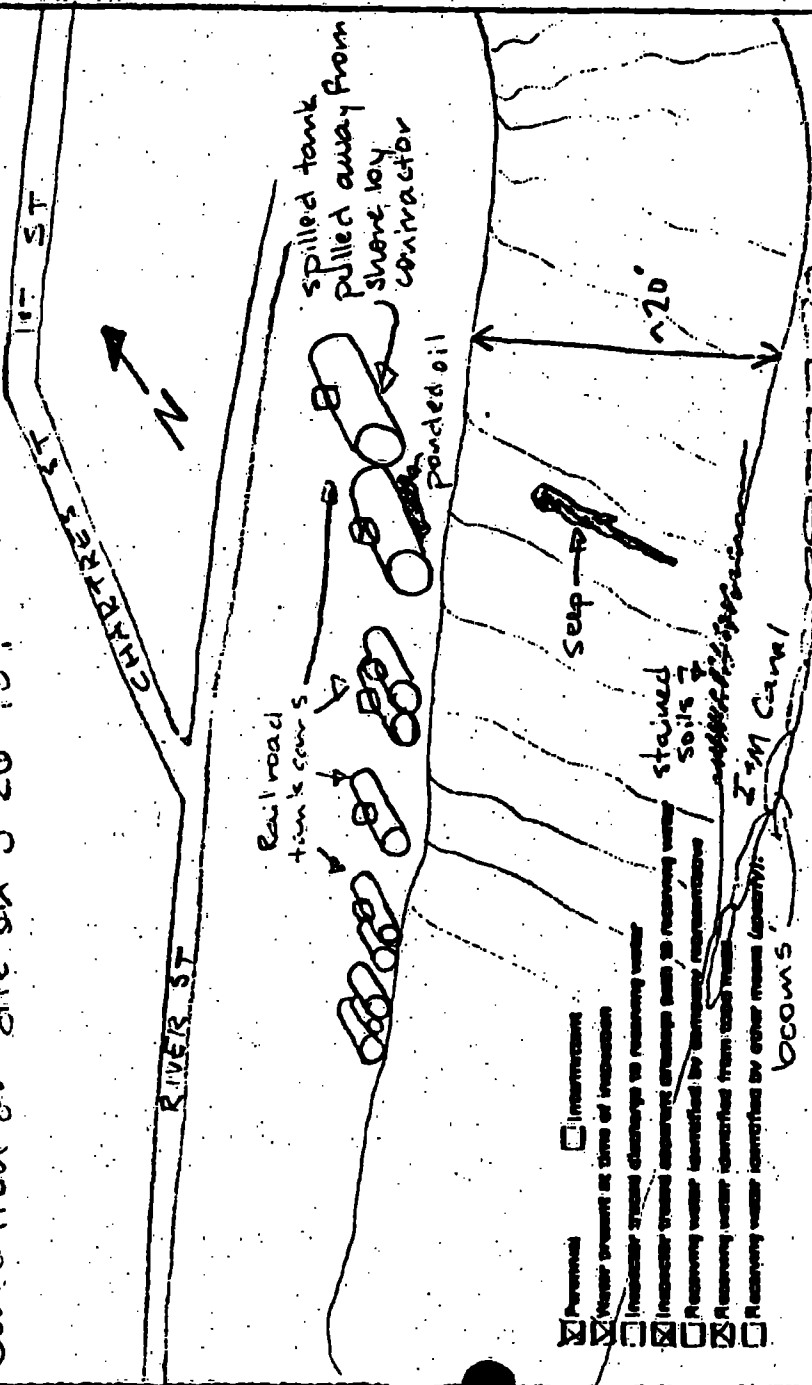
## 1E. PAST SPILL HISTORY

A spill occurred on or before 3-21-90. On 3-21-90, two fishermen reported spilled oil to the Ill. Dept. of Conservation. The State requested a USEPA response. As of this writing, spill cleanup is ongoing, after a ~9300 gal. railroad car reportedly containing 1500 gallons of road oil spilled into the T&M Canal.

2. RECEIVING WATER (WHERE A SPILL OCCURS)

1A. NAME AND/OR DESCRIPTION

Condition at Site on 3-26-90:



- ☒ Present
- ☒ Near present at time of inspection
- ☒ Increased stream discharge to receiving water
- ☒ Increased wind causing waves into receiving water
- ☒ Receiving water identified by surface observation
- ☒ Receiving water identified from water samples
- ☒ Receiving water identified by other means (aerial)
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- ☐ Receiving water identified by other means (aerial)

2B. PROBABLE FLOW PATH TO RECEIVING WATER

Oil would flow overland into 7.5 M Canal, & continue to flow westward into the Illinois River, approx 1 mile down stream.

2C. CURRENT INFORMATION FROM SUPERVISOR

Hows et operation:

Tanks are unattended.

Any materials remaining in these tanks pose a threat of a spill. Oils could flow unrestricted into J & M canal, and subsequently into the Illinois River. Ownership of the tanks should be established. Since the tanks and materials within serves no purpose, owner should empty and remove tanks.

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION  
DIVISION OF SPECIAL SERVICES  
CONVERSATION MEMORANDUM

Site Name: I & M Canal/LaSalle  
Area

**Call To:** File

**File: ADM/Tabor Grain Lease 5284 —**  
**Len Trovero Oil Spill**

**From: Tim Werner/inspection with**  
**Price, Kile, Thomas & Trevi**

Type of Conversation: - Verbal X Telephone           

**Date:** 5/02/90 **Time:** 11:30 **AM/PM**

### Additional Information if Necessary

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tickle:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Subject: Inspection Notes Regarding Oil Spill Clean-up Area.**

### DETAILS OF CONVERSATION

1. Werner, Price, Kile, Thomas and Trevi met at the site and verified the location of the unauthorized tanks, assumed the ownership of the land to be DOC and establish the need for further action. Technical Services may need to have this area surveyed to definitely determine whose land the tanks are located on.
2. Thomas and Trevi described the conditions and actions of various parties during the initial clean-up operations as indicated in the attached field reports.
3. Everyone agreed that there needs to be further clean-up and immediate removal of the unauthorized tanks is required.
4. Price suggested that a written certified letter sent to Len Trovero Construction Company would be more effective than a verbal notice given at his LaSalle Construction Company Office.
5. All staff present drove past Len Troveros Construction Company for information and location reference.

6. Upon viewing the road oil damaged areas, it was evident that ADM/Tabor had recently been bulk storing salt and/or other agricultural chemicals on this leased area and their property immediately north of the tanks which were leaking.

7. Werner agreed to draft a letter of notice to Trovero to demand that they remove the unauthorized tanks and to complete the required clean up. Price will review the draft prior to signing by Jay Johnson and send out for clean up compliance.

8. Price has been in contact with Dave Smith who is the attorney for Archer Daniel Midland Corp. as the tanks are located on their leased property.

9. Jim Thomas said he felt that Len Trovero Construction Company had signed a clean-up contract with U.S. E.P.A. representative, Vernetta Simon prior to undertaking the initial clean up. Scott Trevi will attempt to get a copy of the contract from U.S. E.P.A.

TTW/sks  
cc:

Signed:

J. H. Werner



# Reference Number 5

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May 19, 1990

Mr. Jay Johnson, Director  
Office of Land Management and  
Enforcement  
Illinois Department of Conservation  
Lincoln Tower Plaza  
524 South Second Street  
Springfield, IL 62701-1787

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Re: Illinois-Michigan Canal  
Lease #5284  
ADM/Tabor Grain

Our office represents Len Trovero, and in that capacity we are in receipt of your letter directed to him dated May 4, 1990. Please be advised that Len Trovero, Len Trovero Construction and Central Illinois Contracting Corporation are not the owners of the railroad car tanks and 55-gallon drums of road oil located on the State of Illinois, Department of Conservation land leased to ADM/Tabor Grain. Our investigation leads us to believe that those tanks were owned by J. P. Hollerich Construction Company. Mr. Hollerich died in January of 1963. Sometime thereafter, the corporation was dissolved and liquidated and the assets were sold. It appears that these tanks were never disposed of when the corporation was liquidated and have sat in their present location since that time.

Evidently, because my client operated an asphalt plant on adjacent land about 15 years ago, someone presumed that the tanks and drums were a part of that operation. That, however, was not the case. When the spill occurred, someone in the EPA, either state or federal, was informed that Len Trovero was the owner of the tanks. That prompted a call to Central Illinois Contracting Corporation. My client was out of town and instructed his people to assist in cleaning up the problem and worry about ownership at a later date. Unfortunately, that cooperative approach was taken by some as an admission of ownership.

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Please be assured, however, that unless someone has other contrary evidence, it appears that the ownership of the tanks still remains with J. P. Hollerich Construction Company, a defunct corporation.

If you wish to discuss this further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

  
John S. Duncan

JSD/clt

cc: Mr. Leonard J. Trovero

bcc: Dave Carr  
Greg Kile  
Mark  
McConnaughay  
Lt. Jim Thomas  
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*Trovero  
was book*

*- Duncan  
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**TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TEAM FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE REMOVAL AND PREVENTION  
EPA CONTRACT 68-01-7367**

Mr. Duane Heaton  
Deputy Project Officer  
Emergency Support Section, 5HS-12  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
230 South Dearborn Street  
Chicago, IL 60604

June 5, 1990

TAT-05-G2-01880

Re: I&M Oil Spill, LaSalle, Illinois  
TDD# 5-9003-37

Dear Mr. Heaton:

On March 29, 1990, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) tasked the Technical Assistance Team (TAT) to monitor a removal action along the Illinois & Michigan (I&M) Canal in LaSalle, Illinois. The action was taken to mitigate the effects of an oil spill in the canal. The following letter report summarizes the TAT activities and removal action.

On March 21, 1990, fishermen reported an oil spill on the I&M Canal at LaSalle, Illinois to the Illinois Department of Conservation (Figure 1). The site location is south of the intersection of River and Chartres Street. The I&M Canal is listed as a historic shipping canal. An estimated 1,500 gallons of oil leaked from a hole in a railroad tank car, located with nine other tanks on the northern bank of the canal (Figure 2). A blue heron and several fish were killed during the oil release.

U.S. EPA On Scene Coordinator (OSC) Verneta Simon responded along with the TAT, Illinois Department of Conservation and La Salle City officials. Initially, the Potentially Responsible Party (PRP), Len Trovero of Trovero Construction, conducted emergency site stabilization activities. Mr. Trovero disclaimed ownership of the tank, but initiated the response. The PRP utilized CMC of Portage, Indiana, as the primary cleanup contractor. CMC initiated the stabilization of the oil pit, excavation of oil contaminated soil, temporary stabilization of a seep, and containment and removal of an oil sheen in the canal. CMC also sealed the leaking tank with a metal plate. During this initial response Mr. Trovero transported two dump truck loads of oil-contaminated soil off site on March 23, 1990.

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MAJOR PROGRAMS DIVISION**

In Association with ICF Technology, Inc., C.C. Johnson & Malhotra, P.C., Resource Applications, Inc.,  
and R.E. Sarriera Associates



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The TAT conducted a Spill Protection Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) inspection of the facility on March 26, 1990 as requested by the OSC. The volume and type of materials contained in the tanks could not be determined, as none of the tanks were clearly labelled. Three samples were collected by TAT during the SPCC inspection, from the oil pit, from the seep and from the sediment along the shoreline. All samples were shipped to U.S. Coast Guard Central Oil Identification Laboratory (COIL) Avery Point, Groton, CT. COIL results indicated the material was a petroleum-based oil, and material from all three locations were of the same source.

Detailed information concerning the PRP removal is presented in the TAT report under TDD#05-9003-31.

When Mr. Trovero was informed on March 27, 1990 that a hazardous waste generator identification number had to be obtained he decided to discontinue the removal effort and turn the responsibility over to the U.S. EPA.

The U.S. EPA took over the removal on March 28, 1990. The following remained from the PRP removal: a sheen on the canal, contained within the boom left by CMC; a seep continuing to drain from the bank; and, solidified material along the bank.

District 9 of the U.S. Coast Guard granted the U.S. EPA \$15,000 on March 27, 1990, for the cleanup/stabilization of oil onsite. The U.S. EPA contracted O.H. Materials (OHM) as the primary contractor to complete the removal.

U.S. EPA, TAT, and O.H. Materials mobilized to the site on March 28, 1990. A visible oil sheen was noted on the surface water contained within the boom left intact from the PRP action. The seep was observed to have leached further down the bank. OHM removed the sheen with sorbent pads. A trackhoe was mobilized to removed trees and excavate soil. OHM collected a representative waste sample and sent it to Peoria Disposal in Peoria, IL for disposal analysis and acceptance.

On March 29, 1990, the boom was removed from the canal. Excavation continued on the slope and seep area of the bank. Mr. Trovero returned the two dump truck loads of oil-contaminated soil to the site, and the U.S. EPA OSC accepted responsibility for disposal. Two roll off boxes and an additional dump truck of material were excavated by OHM. Excavation continued and waste material was staged on visqueen awaiting the arrival of three dump trucks on March 30, 1990. During excavation into the bank around the seep area, large pieces of asphalt were observed, possibly placed there



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for bank stabilization. The land surrounding the tanks appeared to have been a landfill. The surface soil was coated with a layer of road salt, which appeared to be residue from adjacent salt storage facilities. TAT collected a grab sample from a pile of excavated material. The sample was sent to Grace Laboratories in Berkley, Illinois for pH, flash point, cyanide, sulfide, phenols and F-listed solvent analysis under TAT Analytical Services TDD# 5-9003-L19.

On March 30, 1990, three additional dump trucks of waste material were loaded. The two roll offs and four dump trucks remained onsite until disposal arrangements were completed. The seep continued to leach, and oil was observed meandering down the slope for approximately ten feet in length and approximately six to ten inches in width. The seep was excavated further and covered with a sand/soil mixture. All personnel departed from the site on March 30, 1990.

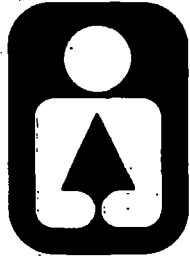
Final disposal of the material was completed on April 13, 1990. The material was transported to the Waste Management, Inc. special waste permitted facility in Elgin, Illinois.

Costs as of April 4, 1990 for U.S. EPA, TAT and OHM were \$16,640.44. A \$9,000 increase from District 9 of the Coast Guard was granted verbally to OSC Simon on April 12, 1990. Costs as of April 13, 1990 were \$23,998.86. No formal Community Relations Plan was developed for the site.

After the removal of spilled material was complete, the tanks remained on site. Some of the tanks were reportedly empty, according to the PRP, and others contained unknown materials. In addition, several drums which apparently contained road oil were also on site. The State of Illinois, site property owner, sent a certified letter to Mr. Trovero on May 4, 1990, demanding immediate removal of the tanks and 55 gallon drums of road oil that were stored on the property.

The OSC appendices have been forwarded to OSC Simon.

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April 8, 1991

Sheila Murphy  
Illinois EPA - DLPC/RPMS  
2200 Churchill  
Springfield, IL 62794-9276

Dear Ms. Murphy:

We have reviewed our database and files for records of significant natural features in the area depicted on the enclosed map. Several such features are known along this reach of the Illinois River.

The state-endangered Great Egret, Casmerodius albus, nests in the Spring Lake area (highlighted in green on the map). Spring Lake and the rookery are located between approximately Illinois River Miles 210 and 212. Spring Lake has been designated as a natural area because of the presence of this endangered bird.

A population of the state and federal-threatened Decurrent False Aster, Boltonia decurrens, occurs on the banks of the Illinois River at River Mile 207.7. This is just downstream of the 15-mile study area you had indicated on the project map. There is no designated critical habitat for federal endangered or threatened species in the area.

Several areas that are managed for fish and wildlife, primarily waterfowl, are located along this portion of the Illinois River. State-managed areas have been highlighted in yellow on the enclosed map. Many other areas along the river are managed for wildlife by private owners or organizations.

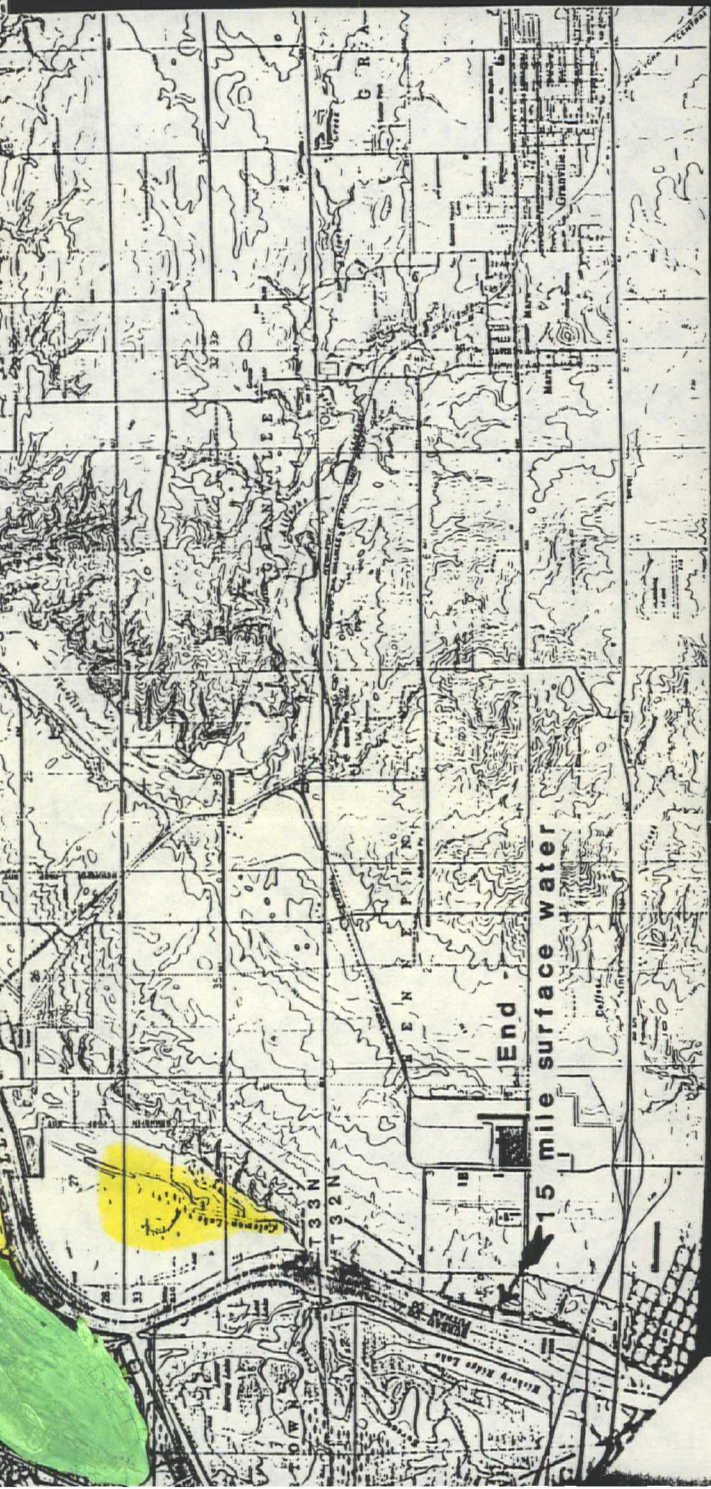
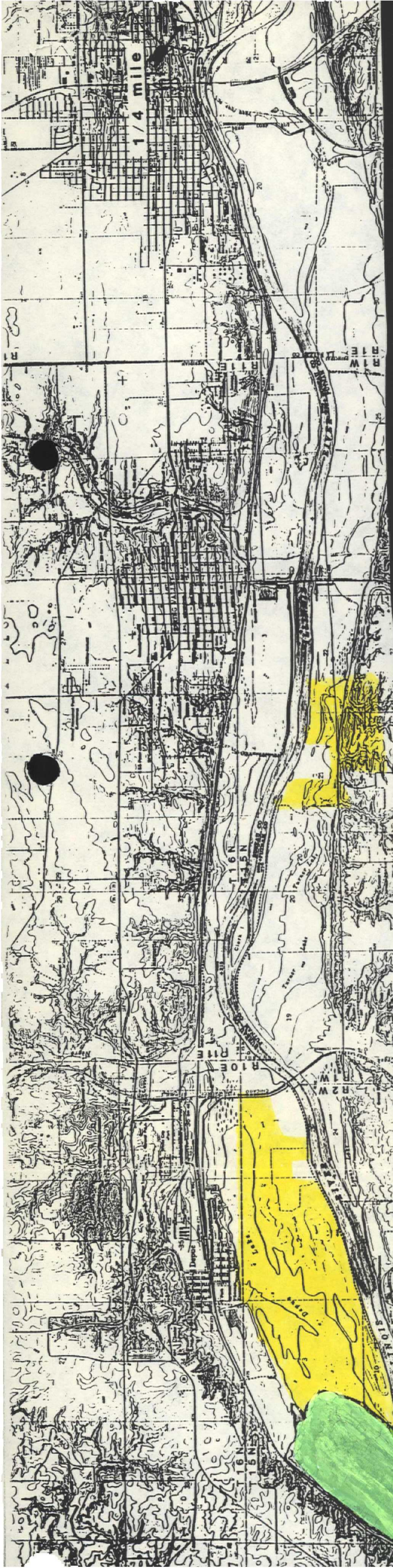
The map you provided showed only the Illinois River itself as the surface water study area. We recommend that all backwaters (lakes, sloughs, etc.) be included in your analysis. These other aquatic areas are connected to and influenced by the river and would be affected by any factor which affects the Illinois River.

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IEPA/DLPC





15 mile surface water

End



STATE OF ILLINOIS  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

Reference  
Number 8

La Salle  
COUNTY

1 PG  
DIVISION

La Salle

St M Canal

I. D. or FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Re: Tanks/Property

Conversation with: Jim Werner, DOC

( ) I Called Party ( ) Party Called Me DATE 6/3/91 TIME 10:55

( ) Complainant ( ) Violator ( ) Public Inquiry ( ) Partitioner

What I Said:

I'm interested in the historical  
dealings with the tanks along the  
St M Canal.

What Other Party Said: <sup>2-0171</sup>

The tanks were there before  
I DOC had the property.  
The state has owned the  
property since the early  
1800's because of the St M  
Canal. In the ~1830's the  
Federal Government <sup>originally</sup> owned  
this property. The federal  
government said they would  
turn this property over to  
the state of IL if they would  
create the St M <sup>canal</sup>. The St M  
Commission was established  
around 1827-30 and lasted  
to ~1920. At this time the  
commission dissolved, but  
before doing so, they turned  
the property over to Public  
use reverse side if necessary

Shirley Murphy  
Signature

Title

**What I Said:**

**What Other Party Said:**

works + buildings which is now DOC Division of H<sub>2</sub>O Resources (Div. of H<sub>2</sub>O ways). DOT had this until 1973. At this time, DOC took possession of the property. When DOC took over, Taber Spain of ADM was already leasing the property.

There is a clause in the lease that states if something happens to the property, the leasee is responsible. So, technically we could go to Jaba Hain and say clean this up. However, Gabor Hain

## Comments

**Referred to:**

Unit

Copies to: ( ) File

## Recommendations

**Signature**

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

La Salle  
COUNTY

LPC  
DIVISION

La Salle / D+M Canal I. D. or FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Re: Cont.

Conversation with: \_\_\_\_\_

( ) I Called Party ( ) Party Called Me DATE \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ TIME \_\_\_\_ :

( ) Complainant ( ) Violator ( ) Public Inquiry ( ) Partitioner

What I Said:

What Other Party Said:

did not realize the property  
leased included the land  
the tanks were on. Why Holler's  
put tanks there + what made  
him think he could do it, I  
don't know. It appears that  
he was trespassing.

Last year when there was  
a spill. Trovers the father  
was away, but Trovers,  
the son, was around + took  
charge. He sent in people to  
clean up the mess. Trovers's  
guys admitted they were  
Trovers's tanks. They even  
had maps of the tanks with  
list of contents and showed  
to Doc police and Vermita Sim

use reverse side if necessary

What I Said:

What Other Party Said:

Invero-the father came back and said "no" we do not claim these tanks. Then we get a letter from Invero's lawyer saying the tanks were there from when H/Leich owned the property but are not Invero's.

In 1975 Invero had property adjacent to this. He had an asphalt co. There it seems as if John Stein may have subleased some of the property leased to Doc, to Invero. If so, John Stein had no right to do so. From the Canal to 90 feet out is state property.

Comments

Referred to:

Unit

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Recommendations

Signature

Shirley Murphy

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TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

Reference  
Number 9

La Salle  
COUNTY

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DIVISION

La Salle / St M Canal I. D. or FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Re: Owner

Conversation with: Vernita Simon; USEPA

(☒) I Called Party ( ) Party Called Me DATE 6/3/91 TIME 9:35

( ) Complainant ( ) Violator ( ) Public Inquiry ( ) Partitioner

What I Said:

I read in a conversation  
record that J.P. Hollerich  
is the owner of the tanks, but  
other sources indicate that  
the owner is Gen. Trovato.

As far as being able to  
say as a fact whether  
owner is...

What Other Party Said:

Trovato was Hollerich's  
accountant. Hollerich was  
killed in a plane wreck  
and Trovato bought assets  
from Hollerich's estate.

If you could get the  
bill of sales that  
Trovato bought the property  
he should have known the  
tanks were there. I know  
he did because either him,  
his brother or a senior.

use reverse side if necessary

Shirley Murphy  
Signature

Title

Other party said:  
What I said:

What Other Party said:

employee had a site map.  
H/SO, Brown. Some of  
whatever is in the tanks  
[petrol based oil] out and  
took it over to his own facility  
to be used. When we were dealing  
w/ the tanks, Brown was  
very adamant that there were  
NO PCB's, so he obviously  
knew about the tanks.

The city was planning to  
develop that area as a marina.

When you did the clean-up,  
did you discharge the  
contents of the tanks?

No we didn't pop the tanks.  
I'll get a copy of the title search  
Comments sent off to you.

OK. Thanks!

Referred to: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Copies to: ( ) File \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendations \_\_\_\_\_

Signature

Sheila Murphy

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Ill. Dept  
Yellow Cc. - Well Contractor  
Blue Copy - Well Owner

# INSTRUCTIONS TO DRILLERS

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PARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ROOM 616, STATE OFFICE BUILDING, SPRINGFIELD,  
ILLINOIS, 62706. DO NOT DETACH GEOLOGICAL /WATER SURVEYS SECTION. BE SURE TO  
PROVIDE PROPER WELL LOCATION.

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☐ Bored ☐ Hole Diam.  in. Depth  ft.  
Curb material  Buried Slab: Yes ☐ No ☐
- b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam.  in. Depth  ft.
- c. Drilled ☒ Finished in Drift ☒ In Rock ☐  
Tubular ☒ Gravel Packed ☐
- d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (Ft.)	TO (Ft.)
Puddled clay	0	68

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 20 Ft. Seepage Tile Field 120  
Cess Pool none Sewer (non Cast iron) none  
Privy none Sewer (Cast iron) 20  
Septic Tank 100 Barnyard none  
Leaching Pit none Manure Pile none

### 3. Is water from this well to be used for human consumption?

Yes ☐ No ☒

### 4. Date well completed July 17, 1968

5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐  
Manufacturer Goulds Type submersible  
Capacity 1/2 Hp gpm. Depth of setting 42 ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☒ No ☐

7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐

8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

## GEOLOGICAL WATER SURVEYS WATER WELL RECORD

10. Dept. Mines and Minerals p. No. NE4076 Year 1968  
11. Property owner John H. Waski Well No. 055  
Address 712 13 th S. Berry, Illinois  
Driller S. Dean Albr License No. 62-150  
12. Water from Sand & gravel Formation Sand & gravel  
at depth 52-75 ft. Sec. 32  
14. Screen: Diam. 5 in. Twp. 34 N  
Length 4 ft. Slot  Rng. 12  
Elev.

### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (In.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
5"	galv	0	68

16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.  
17. Static level 18 ft. below casing to: which is 18 ft.  
above ground level. Pumping level 20 ft. when pumping at 5  
gpm for 2 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
Fill	5	5
Yellow clay	2	10
Sand & gravel	25	35
Yellow clay, sand	3	38
Rock	1	39
Gray clay	13	52
Sand & gravel	23	75

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SIGNED S. Dean Albr DATE Sept 28, 1968

Reference  
Number 10

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Ill. Dept. of Public Health  
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Blue Copy - Well Owner

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☐ Bored ☒ Hole Diam. 24 in. Depth 44 ft.  
Curb material Concrete Buried Slab: Yes ☒ No ☐  
b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam. ☐ in. Depth ☐ ft.  
c. Drilled ☐ Finished in Drift ☐ In Rock ☐  
Tubular ☐ Gravel Packed ☐  
d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (Ft.)	TO (Ft.)

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 100 Ft. Seepage Tile Field 100  
Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast iron) ☐  
Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast iron) ☐  
Septic Tank 100 Barnyard ☐  
Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

### 3. Well furnishes water for human consumption? Yes ☒ No ☐

### 4. Date well completed 9-2-78

### 5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☐ Date ☐ No ☒

Manufacturer ☐ Type ☐ Location ☐  
Capacity ☐ gpm. Depth of Setting ☐ Ft.

### 6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☐ No ☐ Type ☐

### 7. Pitless Adapter Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐

Manufacturer BURKE Model Number SPLIT PLAIN  
How attached to casing? CLIMBED

### 8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☐ No ☐

### 9. Pump and Equipment Disinfected? Yes ☐ No ☐

### 10. Pressure Tank Size ☐ gal. Type ☐

Location ☐

### 11. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

REMARKS:

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

### 10. Property owner ALBERT SCHALLER Well No. 2

Address PIERV

Driller ROBERT SCHNEF License No. 072-03425

### 11. Permit No. 78826 Date 8-31-78

### 12. Water from CRAVEL 13. County LA SALLE

at depth 35 to 38 ft. Sec. 187

### 14. Screen: Diam. ☐ in. Twp. 33N

Length: ☐ ft. Slot ☐ Rge. 18E

Elev. ☐

### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
<u>24</u>	<u>CONCRETE</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>44</u>

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
SE NW 1/4

### 16. Size Hole below casing: ☐ in.

### 17. Static level 18 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft.

above ground level. Pumping level ☐ ft. when pumping at ☐

gpm for ☐ hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
<u>TOP SOIL</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>YELLOW CLAY</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>SOFT BLUE SHALE</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>35</u>
<u>CRAVEL</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>38</u>
<u>RED SHALE</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>44</u>

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SIGNED Robert V. Schnerf DATE 11-12-78



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# ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

## 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☐ Bored ☐ Hole Diam.  in. Depth  ft.  
 Curb material  Buried Slab: Yes ☐ No ☐  
 b. Driven ☒ Drive Pipe Diam. 5 in. Depth 82 ft.  
 c. Drilled ☐ Finished in Drift 95 In Rock ☐  
 Tubular ☐ Gravel Packed ☐  
 d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (FT.)	TO (FT.)

## 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 20 Ft. Seepage Tile Field ☐  
 Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast iron) ☐  
 Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast iron) ☐  
 Septic Tank 65 Barnyard ☐  
 Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

## 3. Is water from this well to be used for human consumption?

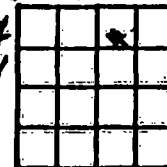
Yes ☒ No ☐4. Date well completed 10-15-685. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☐ No ☒Manufacturer  Type Capacity  gpm. Depth of setting  ft.6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☐ No ☐7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes ☐ No ☐8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☐ No ☐9. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

REMARKS: 5" DRIVE PIPE WAS DRIVEN FROM SURFACE TO 82' THE SMALL ANNULAR SPACE WAS FILLED WITH BENONITE & CUTTINGS

## GEOLOGICAL WATER SURVEYS WATER WELL RECORD

10. Dept. Mines and Minerals permit No. NE5031 Year 196811. Property owner Mrs. CARL SPITTS Well No.  Address 601 E. 8th St.Driller CHAS. E. WOODRUFF License No. 92-40912. Water from SAND & GRAVEL Formation   County LA SALLEat depth 85 to 95 ft.14. Screen: Diam.  in.Length:  ft. Slot 

Sec. 26-N  
 Twp. 33-N  
 Rng. 1-E  
 Elev.  



## 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (ft.)	To (ft.)
5	T.C. BLK 14"	0	82
4	P.C. " 11"	75	95
	PERFORATED		

SHOW LOCATION IN SECTION PLAT  
 SE NW NE

16. Size Hole below casing:  in.

17. Static level 55 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft. above ground level. Pumping level 64 ft. when pumping at 10 gpm for 2 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
CLAY	25	25
SAND & GRAVEL	70	95

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SIGNED W. J. Horton DATE 11-5-68

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Ill. Dep. of Public Health  
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Blue Copy - Well Owner

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug       . Bored       . Hole Diam. 5 in. Depth 50 ft.  
Curb material       . Buried Slab: Yes        No
- b. Driven       . Drive Pipe Diam.        in. Depth        ft.
- c. Drilled       . Finished in Drift       . In Rock Shale  
Tubular       . Gravel Packed       .
- d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (Ft.)	TO (Ft.)
Cuttings		

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 22 Ft. Seepage Tile Field         
Cess Pool        Sewer (non Cast iron)         
Privy        Sewer (Cast iron)         
Septic Tank 75 Barnyard         
Leaching Pit        Manure Pile       

### 3. Well furnishes water for human consumption? Yes X No

### 4. Date well completed 8-13-80

### 5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes X Date 9-13-80 No

Manufacturer Sta-Rite Type Subm. Location Well  
Capacity 15 gpm. Depth of Setting 38 Ft.

### 6. Well Top Sealed? Yes X No        Type Martinson

### 7. Pitless Adapter Installed? Yes X No

Manufacturer Martinson Model Number SP10  
How attached to casing? bolted

### 8. Well Disinfected? Yes X No

### 9. Pump and Equipment Disinfected? Yes X No

### 10. Pressure Tank Size 42 gal. Type non air

Location basement

### 11. Water Sample Submitted? Yes        No X

### REMARKS:

OWNER INSTRUCTED TO TAKE SAMPLE

### 10. Property owner B. J. Strozewski Well No.

Address 813 Grove Coeur, La Salle, IL 61301

Driller Phil Knierim License No. 10284

### 11. Permit No. 94659 Date 7-2-80

### 12. Water from Shale 13. County La Salle

at depth 45 to 50 ft. Sec. 22

### 14. Screen: Diam.        in. Twp. 33N

Length:        ft. Slot        Rge. 1E

Elev.       

### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
<u>5</u>	<u>Steel</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>43</u>

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
SE SW SE

### 16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.

### 17. Static level 23 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft.

above ground level. Pumping level 38 ft. when pumping at 20 gpm for 4 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
Top Soil	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
Clay	<u>42</u>	<u>43</u>
Rock	<u>2</u>	<u>45</u>
Shale	<u>5</u>	<u>50</u>

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SIGNED Phil Knierim DATE 9-17-80

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Yellow Copy - Well Contractor  
Blue Copy - Well Owner

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☐ Bored ☒ Hole Diam. 32 in. Depth 48 ft.  
Curb material concrete Buried Slab: Yes ☒ No ☐
- b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam. ☐ in. Depth ☐ ft.
- c. Drilled ☐ Finished in Drift ☐ In Rock ☐  
Tubular ☐ Gravel Packed ☐
- d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (Ft.)	TO (Ft.)

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building ☐ Ft. Seepage Tile Field ☐

Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast Iron) ☐

Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast Iron) ☐

Septic Tank ☐ Barnyard ☐

Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

3. Well furnishes water for human consumption? Yes ☒ No ☐

4. Date well completed 5/2/78

5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☐ Date ☐ No ☒

Manufacturer ☐ Type ☐ Location ☐

Capacity ☐ gpm. Depth of Setting ☐ Ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☒ No ☐ Type vented cap

7. Pitless Adapter Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐

Manufacturer Baker Model Number 5PLT6P12WM

How attached to casing? clamp-on

8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

9. Pump and Equipment Disinfected? Yes ☐ No ☐

10. Pressure Tank Size ☐ gal. Type ☐

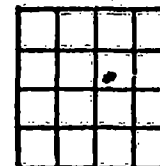
Location ☐

11. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

REMARKS:

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

10. Property owner Jack Ator Well No. ☐  
Address 2705 St. Vincent LaSalle, Ill.  
Driller Steven Sauder License No. 92-622
11. Permit No. 73795 Date 5/2/78
12. Water from yellow gravel Formation   13. County LaSalle  
at depth 11 to 12 ft. Sec. 3  
14. Screen: Diam. ☐ in. Twp. 33N  
Length: ☐ ft. Slot ☐ Rge. 1E  
Elev. ☐



### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
<u>6</u>	<u>PVC</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>24</u>	<u>concrete</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>48</u>

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
85°N, 300°E  
SW 1/4 NE

16. Size Hole below casing: ☐ in.
17. Static level ☐ ft. below casing top which is ☐ ft.  
above ground level. Pumping level ☐ ft. when pumping at ☐  
gpm for ☐ hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
<u>clay- yellow</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
<u>gravel- yellow</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>12</u>
<u>clay- gray, green</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>25</u>
<u>shale- red</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>35</u>
<u>shale- gray, white, powdery</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>48</u>

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SIGNED Steven Sauder DATE 5/5/78

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Ill. Dept. of Public Health  
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Blue Copy - Well Owner

# INSTRUCTIONS TO WELL OWNERS

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☒ Bored ☒ Hole Diam. 24 in. Depth 31 ft.  
Curb material concrete. Buried Slab: Yes ☒ No ☐  
b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam. ☐ in. Depth ☐ ft.  
c. Drilled ☐ Finished in Drift ☐ In Rock ☐  
Tubular ☐ Gravel Packed ☐  
d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (FT.)	TO (FT.)

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 20 Ft. Seepage Tile Field 95  
Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast iron) ☐  
Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast iron) ☐  
Septic Tank 84 Barnyard ☐  
Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

3. Well furnishes water for human consumption? Yes ☒ No ☐

4. Date well completed 11-2-86

5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☒ Date 11-11-86 No ☐

Manufacturer JOIT Type SUR Location WELL

Capacity 12 gpm. Depth of Setting 29 Ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☐ No ☐ Type ☐

7. Pitless Adapter Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐

Manufacturer BUTLER Model Number BR35V

How attached to casing? WELT PROTECT

8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

9. Pump and Equipment Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

10. Pressure Tank Size 42 gal. Type CARTER 1219

Location BR35

11. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☒ No ☐

### REMARKS:

County #23395

10. Property owner STANLEY MROWICKI Well No. 2

Address R-007 PULASKI PARK

Driller ROBERT SCHERF License No. 092-03425

11. Permit No. 121820 Date 10-30-85

12. Water from GRAVEL 13. County LA SALLE

at depth 15 to 20 ft. Sec. 9

14. Screen: Diam. ☐ in. Twp. 31N

Length: ☐ ft. Slot ☐ Rge. 1E

Elev. ☐


SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
SE SW

### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (FT.)	To (FT.)
<u>24</u>	<u>concrete</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>31</u>

16. Size Hole below casing: ☐ in.

17. Static level 4 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft.

above ground level. Pumping level ☐ ft. when pumping at ☐

gpm for ☐ hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
<u>TOP SOIL</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>YELLOW CLAY</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>GRAVEL</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>20</u>
<u>SAND</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>31</u>

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SIGNED ROBERT SCHERF DATE 1-5-86

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Blue Copy - Well Owner

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

a. Dug       . Bored       . Hole Diam. 5 in. Depth 136 ft.  
Cur. material       . Buried Slab: Yes        No       

b. Driven       . Drive Pipe Diam.        in. Depth        ft.

c. Drilled X. Finished in Drift       . In Rock X.  
Tubular       . Gravel Packed       .

d. Grogit:       

(KIND)	FROM (Fl.)	TO (Fl.)
Cuttings		

- Building 50 Ft. Seepage Tile Field \_\_\_\_\_  
Cess Pool \_\_\_\_\_ Sewer (non Cast iron) \_\_\_\_\_  
Privy \_\_\_\_\_ Sewer (Cast iron) \_\_\_\_\_  
Septic Tank 75 Barnyard \_\_\_\_\_  
Leaching Pit \_\_\_\_\_ Manure Pile \_\_\_\_\_

- Yes   x   No

5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes x No

- Manufacturer Red Jacket Type Submersible

- Capacity 9 gpm. Depth of setting 105 ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes   X   No

7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes X No

8. Well Disinfected? Yes X No

9. Water Sample Submitted? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No X

REMARKS: Owner instructed to take sample.

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10. Property owner Richard Cook Well No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Address R.R. #1 Olesby, Illinois  
Driller K & K Well Drilling License No. 102 27  
11. Permit No. 25005 Date August 22, 1973  
12. Water from Limestone 13. County LaSalle  
Formation  
at depth \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ ft.  
14. Screen: Diam. \_\_\_\_\_ in.  
Length: \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Slot \_\_\_\_\_  
Sec. 34 & a  
Twp. 33N  
Rge. 1E  
Elev. \_\_\_\_\_

- ## 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
5"	Black 15#	0	131

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT

16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.
17. Static level 60 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft. above ground level. Pumping level 105 ft. when pumping at 20 gpm for 4 hours.

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**(CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY)**

**SIGNED**

DATE August 30, 1973

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# ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

## 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug \_\_\_\_\_ Bored \_\_\_\_\_ Hole Diam. \_\_\_\_\_ in. Depth \_\_\_\_\_ ft.  
Curb material \_\_\_\_\_ Buried Slab: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Driven \_\_\_\_\_ Drive Pipe Diam. \_\_\_\_\_ in. Depth \_\_\_\_\_ ft.
- c. Drilled X Finished in Drift \_\_\_\_\_ In Rock X  
Tubular \_\_\_\_\_ Gravel Packed \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Grout: \_\_\_\_\_

(KIND)	FROM (FT.)	TO (FT.)
Bentonite		
Drillcuttings	+1	575'

## 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building None Ft. Seepage Tile Field None

Cess Pool " Sewer (non Cast iron) "

Privy " Sewer (Cast iron) "

Septic Tank " Barnyard "

Leaching Pit " Manure Pile "

3. Well furnishes water for human consumption? Yes Yes No \_\_\_\_\_4. Date well completed April 8-19875. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ No No

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Capacity \_\_\_\_\_ gpm. Depth of Setting \_\_\_\_\_ Ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Type compression

7. Pitless Adapter Installed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Manufacturer \_\_\_\_\_ Model Number \_\_\_\_\_

How attached to casing? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Well Disinfected? Yes Yes No \_\_\_\_\_

9. Pump and Equipment Disinfected? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

10. Pressure Tank Size \_\_\_\_\_ gal. Type \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_

11. Water Sample Submitted? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No No

## REMARKS:

26' length 21" 4" = 554'-8" Hole @ 815' pry  
12' length 19" 11" 19" 11"  
1 piece 1" 7" 1" 7"  
6" pipe in well 576'-2" Well seal  
chlorine  
stermit

County #23959

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

10. Property owner Charles and Terra Helms Well No. \_\_\_\_\_Address 1428-24th St Peru-ILDriller Lozano Martin License No. 9283211. Permit No. 129945 Date March 12 198712. Water from Limestone 13. County L25alleat depth 8 to 910 ft. Sec. 27/e14. Screen: Diam. \_\_\_\_\_ in. Twp. 33NLength: \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Slot \_\_\_\_\_ Rge. 1E

Elev. \_\_\_\_\_


## 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
6"	WE Steel 19#	+1	576'

SHOW LOCATION IN SECTION PLAT

100' NL 100' WL  
SE SE NE16. Size Hole below casing: 6 in.17. Static level 115 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft. above ground level. Pumping level 170 ft. when pumping at 20 gpm for 4 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
Clay	5'	5'
Sand	10'	15'
Gray Clay	38'	53'
Hard Gravel and Clay	17'	70'
Shale Gray soft	15'	85'
Shale Gray Hard (only)	85'	170'
Limestone and Red Clay	25'	195'
Limestone and Gray Shale	350'	555'
Limestone (solid) Hard	355'	910'

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SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Limestone Turned White @ 815' began Making Water

29-1-55-62

Vol No. 1

Year 1946

Tract	Acres	Depth of
1	1.00	10.00
2	1.00	10.00
3	1.00	10.00
4	1.00	10.00
5	1.00	10.00
6	1.00	10.00
7	1.00	10.00
8	1.00	10.00
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95	1.00	10.00
96	1.00	10.00
97	1.00	10.00
98	1.00	10.00
99	1.00	10.00
100	1.00	10.00

County of [illegible] State of [illegible]

Surveyed by [illegible]

Witnessed by [illegible]

Notary Public [illegible]

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☐ Bored ☐ Hole Diam. 5 in. Depth 160 ft.  
Curb material ☐ Buried Slab: Yes ☐ No ☐  
b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam. ☐ in. Depth ☐ ft.  
c. Drilled ☐ Finished in Drift ☐ In Rock ☐  
Tubular ☐ Gravel Packed ☐  
d. Grout: ☐

(KIND)	FROM (FT.)	TO (FT.)
Outcrop	0	120

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

- Building ☐ Ft. Seepage Tile Field ☐  
Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast iron) ☐  
Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast iron) ☐  
Septic Tank ☐ Barnyard ☐  
Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

### 3. Well furnishes water for human consumption? Yes ☒ No ☐

### 4. Date well completed 10-26-83

### 5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☐ Date 10/31/83 No ☒

Manufacturer Grundfos Type Subm Location well  
Capacity 10 gpm. Depth of Setting ☐ Ft.

### 6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☐ No ☒ Type capped

### 7. Pitless Adapter Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐

Manufacturer Williams Model Number ☐  
How attached to casing? bottom

### 8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

### 9. Pump and Equipment Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

### 10. Pressure Tank Size 20 gal. Type Clayton Mark

Location basement

### 11. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

REMARKS:

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

### 10. Property owner Richard Muller Well No. ☐

Address 1201 West 1st St. Springfield, Ill. 62761

Driller William T. Muller License No. 12-24

### 11. Permit No. 109097 Date 10-26-83

### 12. Water from limestone 13. County Madison

at depth 56 to 160 ft. Sec. 23a

### 14. Screen: Diam. ☐ in. Twp. 33N

Length: ☐ ft. Slot ☐ Rge. 1E

Elev. ☐

### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
5	300 PK	0	120

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
SE 1/4 SE

### 16. Size Hole below casing: ☐ in.

### 17. Static level ☐ ft. below casing top which is ☐ ft.

above ground level. Pumping level ☐ ft. when pumping at ☐

gpm for ☐ hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
Top Soil	1	1
Clay	24	25
Shale	80	105
Sandstone	51	156
Limestone	4	160

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SIGNED William T. Muller DATE 10/31/84



White Co.  
Ill. De. (Public Health  
Yellow C. - Well Contractor  
Blue Copy - Well Owner

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PARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ROOM 610, STATE OFFICE BUILDING, SPRINGFIELD,  
ILLINOIS, 62706. DO NOT DETACH GEOLOGICAL / WATER SURVEYS SECTION. BE SURE TO  
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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug       . Bored       . Hole Diam.        in. Depth        ft.  
Curb material       . Buried Slab: Yes        No
- b. Driven       . Drive Pipe Diam. 6 in. Depth 177 ft.
- c. Drilled X. Finished in Drift       . In Rock 325.  
Tubular       . Gravel Packed       .
- d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (Ft.)	TO (Ft.)

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 100 Ft. Seepage Tile Field         
Cess Pool        Sewer (non Cast iron)         
Privy        Sewer (Cast iron)         
Septic Tank 150 Barnyard         
Leaching Pit 200 Manure Pile       

### 3. Is water from this well to be used for human consumption?

Yes X No       

### 4. Date well completed 5-5-68

### 5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes        No X

Manufacturer        Type         
Capacity        gpm. Depth of setting        ft.

### 6. Well Top Sealed? Yes        No

### 7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes        No

### 8. Well Disinfected? Yes        No

### 9. Water Sample Submitted? Yes        No X

REMARKS: 6" PIPE WAS DRIVEN FROM  
SURFACE WELL IN TO BED ROCK THE  
SMALL ANNULAR SPACE WAS FILLED WITH  
BENTONITE AND CUTTINGS

## GEOLOGICAL WATER SURVEYS WATER WELL RECORD

10. Dept. Mines and Minerals permit No. 47-18 Year 1968
11. Property owner CLARA JASIEK Well No. 1  
Address TWP 33 N. R. 24 S. E. 16 E  
Driller CHAS. F. WOODRUFF CO. License No. 99-469
12. Water from SANDSTONE 13. County LA SALLE  
Formation  
at depth 285 to 325 ft. Sec. 2  
14. Screen: Diam.        in. Twp. 33 N  
Length:        ft. Slot 1/8 Rng. 16 E  
Elev.


### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
<u>6</u>	<u>T.C. BLK 19"</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>177</u>
<u>5</u>	<u>P.E. " 15"</u>	<u>159</u>	<u>235</u>
	<u>PERFORATED</u>		

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
500 N 2000 W  
7  
SE/4 NE

16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.
17. Static level 95 ft. below casing top which is 1 ft.  
above ground level. Pumping level 105 ft. when pumping at 20  
gpm for 2 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
<u>CLAY</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>170</u>
<u>SHALE</u>	<u>10.5</u>	<u>170</u>
<u>SHALE &amp; LIME SHELLS THIN</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>170</u>
<u>COAL</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>175</u>
<u>SAND ROCK</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>205</u>
<u>LIME</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>230</u>
<u>CLAY</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>235</u>
<u>LIME</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>285</u>
<u>SANDSTONE</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>325</u>
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SIGNED W. J. Norton DATE 5-18-68

White  
Ill. Dept. of Public Health  
Yellow Copy - Well Contractor  
Blue Copy - Well Owner

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug ☐ Bored ☐ Hole Diam. 5 in. Depth 105 ft.  
Curb material ☐ Buried Slab: Yes ☐ No ☐
- b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam. 5 in. Depth 40 ft.
- c. Drilled ☒ Finished in Drift ☐ In Rock ☒  
Tubular ☐ Gravel Packed ☐
- d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (FT.)	TO (FT.)

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 35 Ft. Seepage Tile Field 75'  
Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast iron) ☐  
Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast iron) ☐  
Septic Tank 50' Barnyard ☐  
Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

### 3. Is water from this well to be used for human consumption?

Yes ☒ No ☐

### 4. Date well completed 11-26-78

### 5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☐ No ☒

Manufacturer ☐ Type ☐

Capacity ☐ gpm. Depth of setting ☐ ft.

### 6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☒ No ☐

### 7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes ☐ No ☒

### 8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

### 9. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

REMARKS:

IDPH 4.065  
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KNB-1

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

10. Property owner Tru County Well + Pump Well No. 1  
Address Rt. 1, La Salle, Ill.

Driller Charles Fyke License No. 23

11. Permit No. 8-2006 Date 11-16-78

12. Water from St. Peter Sand 13. County La Salle

Formation

at depth 36 to 105 ft. Sec. 1126

14. Screen: Diam. ☐ in. Twp. 33N

Length: ☐ ft. Slot ☐ Rge. 1E

Elev. ☐

15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
<u>5</u>	<u>Schedule 40 PVC</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>40</u>
	<u>1120-NSF 2.8711</u>		

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT  
NW 36 SE

16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.

17. Static level 40 ft. below casing top which is +1 ft.

above ground level. Pumping level 45 ft. when pumping at 10

gpm for 1 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
<u>Clay</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>Limestone</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>36</u>
<u>St. Peter Sand</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>105</u>

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SIGNED Charles Fyke DATE 1-16-80

White Copy  
Ill. Dep. Public Health  
Yellow Copy - Well Contractor  
Blue Copy Well Owner

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dug \_\_\_\_\_ Bored \_\_\_\_\_ Hole Diam. \_\_\_\_\_ in. Depth \_\_\_\_\_ ft.  
Curb material \_\_\_\_\_ Buried Slab: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Driven \_\_\_\_\_ Drive Pipe Diam. \_\_\_\_\_ in. Depth \_\_\_\_\_ ft.
- c. Drilled ☒ Finished in Drift ☒ In Rock \_\_\_\_\_  
Tubular ☒ Gravel Packed \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Grout: \_\_\_\_\_

(KIND)	FROM (Ft.)	TO (Ft.)
puddled	0	48

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 50 Ft. Seepage Tile Field 75  
Cess Pool none Sewer (non Cast iron) 50  
Privy none Sewer (Cast iron) 15  
Septic Tank 50 Barnyard XXXXXX 60  
Leaching Pit none Manure Pile none

### 3. Is water from this well to be used for human consumption?

Yes ☒ No \_\_\_\_\_

### 4. Date well completed April 22, 1969

5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☒ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Manufacturer Red Jacket Type Submersible  
Capacity 1/3 gpm. Depth of setting 42 ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No ☒

7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes ☒ No \_\_\_\_\_

8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No \_\_\_\_\_

9. Water Sample Submitted? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No ☒

REMARKS:

## GEOLOGICAL WATER SURVEYS WATER WELL RECORD

10. Dept. Mines and Minerals permit No. 7511 Year 1969  
11. Property owner Geo. Blakely, Jr. Well No. 1009  
Address 1902 Plain St. Peru, Illinois  
Driller S. Dean Albrecht License No. 92-350  
12. Water from shale 13. County LaSalle  
at depth 47 to 110 ft. Sec. 6  
14. Screen: Diam. 2 in. Twp. 33N  
Length: \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Slot \_\_\_\_\_ Rng. 1E  
Elev. \_\_\_\_\_


### 15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
5	galv	0	48

SHOW  
LOCATION IN  
SECTION PLAT

75'S 40'E  
NW/4 SW SW

16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.  
17. Static level 20 ft. below casing top which is 1 1/2 ft.  
above ground level. Pumping level 110 ft. when pumping at 1/3 gpm for 1 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
yellow clay	11	11
gray clay	4	15
gravel	3	18
gray clay	1	19
dry sand	12	31
gray clay	2	33
dry sand	1	34
clay	1	35
dry gravel	1	36
clay	7	43
gray shale	18	61
soft gray shale	13	74
red shale	32	110
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SIGNED S. Dean Albrecht DATE May 23, 1969  
C.H.

White Copy -  
Ill. Dept. of Pub. Health  
Yellow Copy - Well Contractor  
Blue Copy - Well Owner

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## ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WELL CONSTRUCTION REPORT

## GEOLOGICAL AND WATER SURVEYS WELL RECORD

### 1. Type of Well

- a. Dig ☐ Bored ☐ Hole Diam. 5 in. Depth 208 ft.  
Curb material ☐ Buried Slab: Yes ☐ No ☐  
b. Driven ☐ Drive Pipe Diam. ☐ in. Depth ☐ ft.  
c. Drilled ☒ Finished in Drift ☐ In Rock ☒  
Tabular ☒ Gravel Packed ☐  
d. Grout:

(KIND)	FROM (FT.)	TO (FT.)
puddled	0	48

### 2. Distance to Nearest:

Building 15 Ft. Seepage Tile Field 80  
Cess Pool ☐ Sewer (non Cast iron) 55  
Privy ☐ Sewer (Cast iron) 15  
Septic Tank 60 Barnyard ☐  
Leaching Pit ☐ Manure Pile ☐

### 3. Is water from this well to be used for human consumption?

Yes ☒ No ☐

### 4. Date well completed JANUARY 4, 1974

5. Permanent Pump Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐  
Manufacturer Red Jacket Type Submersible  
Capacity 5 hp gpm. Depth of setting 93 ft.

6. Well Top Sealed? Yes ☐ No ☐  
7. Pitless Adaptor Installed? Yes ☒ No ☐ tube attached to casing  
8. Well Disinfected? Yes ☒ No ☐

9. Water Sample Submitted? Yes ☐ No ☒

REMARKS: 22 gal. yolo. pressure tank located in basement

10. Property owner Charles Kosciwicz Well No.   
Address R.W. TOSWILE, ILLINOIS

Driller A. Dean Albrecht License No. 102-120

11. Permit No. 22158 Date Jan. 8, 1974

12. Water from San Jose 13. County LaSalle

at depth 192 to 208 ft. Sec. 35.5a

14. Screen: Diam. ☐ in. Twp. 34N

Length: ☐ ft. Slot ☐ Rge. 1E

Elev. ☐

15. Casing and Liner Pipe

Diam. (in.)	Kind and Weight	From (Ft.)	To (Ft.)
5	black	0	48

SHOW LOCATION IN SECTION PLAT  
80' N 100' W  
SE/4 SESE SW

16. Size Hole below casing: 5 in.

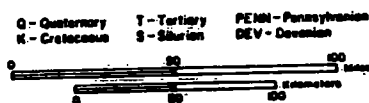
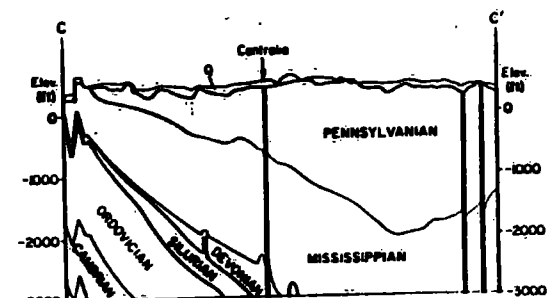
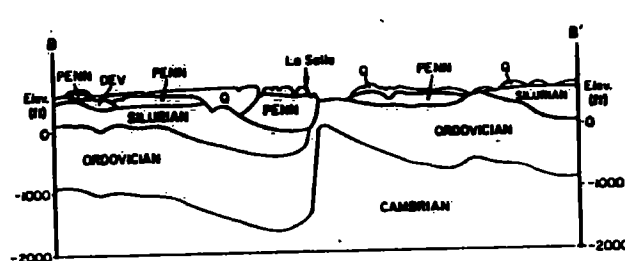
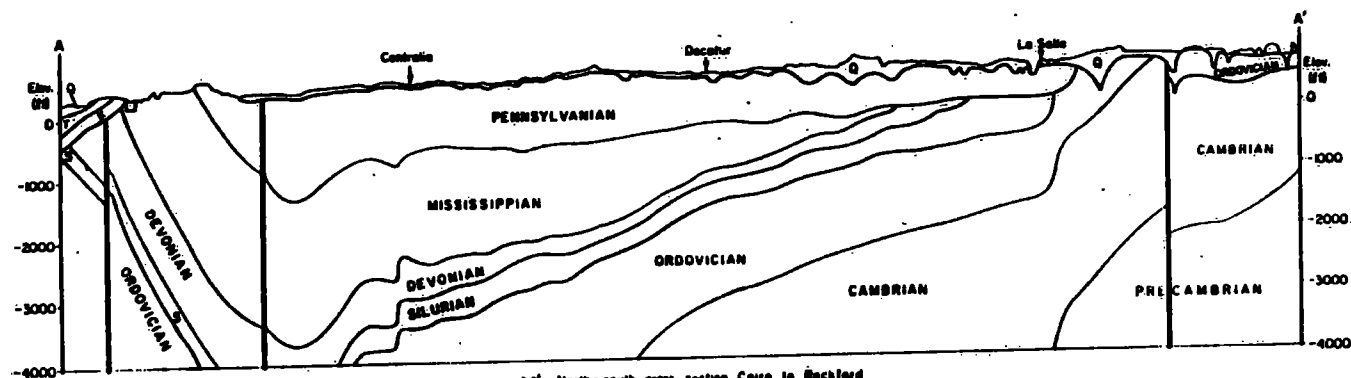
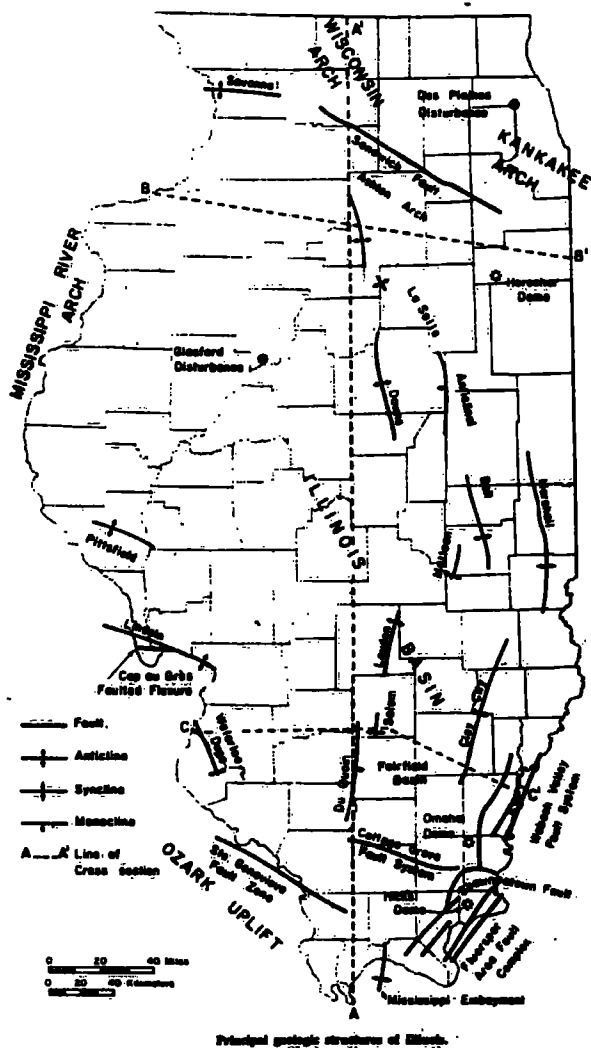
17. Static level 55 ft. below casing top which is 13 ft. above ground level. Pumping level 65 ft. when pumping at 15 gpm for 2 hours.

18. FORMATIONS PASSED THROUGH	THICKNESS	DEPTH OF BOTTOM
yellow clay	10	10
gravel	2	12
sandstone	20	32
gray limestone	26	58
green shale	2	59
tan limestone	122	186
fractured limestone	4	192
sandstone	16	208

(CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY)

SIGNED A. Dean Albrecht DATE Feb. 12, 1974  
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accurate instruments, with a negligible error; (2) by hand-level line from adjacent bench marks, with a possible error in this region, where bench marks are numerous, of rarely more than 5 and usually less than 3 feet; and (3) by estimation from the contour map direct in the field with a possible error about the same as the 20-foot contour interval.

The surface of the coal, especially, and probably also that of the sandstone is somewhat more irregular than the contours indicate. There are local variations in the elevation of the coal as great as 10 or 15 feet that cannot be shown because of the largeness of the contour interval. The intervals, however, are sufficiently large to minimize the effect of slight errors in elevation to which the map is liable, as noted in preceding paragraphs, and at the same time it is sufficiently adequate to show the main structural features of the area. It is believed that the structure lines for the surface of the coal are correct within a contour interval, that is 25 feet, and for the surface of the sandstone within one-half a contour interval or 50 feet. (See Plates II and III).

#### STRUCTURE OF THE QUADRANGLES

In the Hennepin and La Salle quadrangles the layers of hard rock are not horizontal, for an important structural feature, known as the La Salle anticline, is pronounced. This is more correctly called a monocline, since the fold is step-like, with the depression on the west side. West of the fold all the strata of the bed rock slope toward it. To the east, however, the strata dip slightly east from the crest of the fold to the State line.

The altitude of the top of the sandstone has been determined at about a dozen wells scattered over the area at numerous outcrops along and east of the anticline. The overlying Ordovician and Silurian rocks are apparently approximately parallel to the surface of the St. Peter sandstone, so that the contours, drawn at intervals of 100 feet vertically, show the main structural features of all the formations between the Pennsylvanian series and the "Lower Magnesian" formations. Concerning the structure of the older strata little is known. Data based upon the records of three wells west of the anticline indicate a general parallelism of the "Lower Magnesian" with the St. Peter. East of the fold where it outcrops the Shakopee dolomite displays minor undulations which are not known to continue above into the St. Peter sandstone.

In the Hennepin and La Salle quadrangles the altitude of the La Salle coal west of the outcrop along the anticline has been ascertained at about 100 places. Most of the data are derived from mines and coal tests, but some have been obtained from well borings. Several determinations near the anticline were calculated from the outcrops of black slate, the distance of which above the coal is known. Along the anticline in the valleys of Illinois and Little and

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Reference  
Number 13

La Salle  
COUNTY

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DIVISION

La Salle / St. M Canal I. D. or FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Re: "Unregulated Dumping"

Conversation with: Judd Hudson, Manager of Labor Union

(☒) I Called Party ( ) Party Called Me DATE 6/20/91 TIME 10:20

( ) Complainant ( ) Violator ( ) Public Inquiry ( ) Partitioner

What I Said:

On some reports I read +  
when I spoke to . I  
visited the site, there was  
the indication that some  
unregulated dumping had  
occured in the area.

(815) 223-8000  
What Other Party Said:

Oh yea. People used to  
come back here all the  
time + drop junk off. It  
still happens some, but it  
decreased since we put  
the fence up. It was  
mostly household stuff  
like chairs, but we  
have found grain + wheat  
material down there. It wa  
n't ours because we only  
handle corn. We try to  
keep it cleaned up.

use reverse side if necessary

Signature

Title

2010/01/01  
61 100mm

What I Said:

OK Thanks.

What Other Party Said:

We also put up these big  
concrete blocks to prevent  
anyone from running into  
the tanks.  
Bugs

Comments

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Shula Murphy

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

TELEPHONE CONVERSATION RECORD

Reference  
Number 14

La Salle  
COUNTY

LPC  
DIVISION

La Salle, St. M Canal I. D. or FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Re: Unreg. dumping

Conversation with: Donald Ganka

( ☒ ) I Called Party ( ) Party Called Me DATE 6/21/91 TIME 10:40

( ) Complainant ( ) Violator ( ) Public Inquiry ( ) Partitioner

What I Said:

(315) 223-5220  
What Other Party Said:

I'm looking into the area  
along the St. M Canal where  
those ten tanks are. Under-  
stand that either you or  
Bill Egner mentioned some-  
thing about unregulated  
dumping that had been go-  
ing on for years.

What was being dug up?

Do you remember who was

Theresa Murphy  
Signature

It must have been Bill  
(Generoso's son-in-law).  
I do remember a bunch of  
us standing around + some-  
one saying something about  
some transformers that had  
been dug up.  
I think they were digging  
to make a dike for the  
tank.

use reverse side if necessary

Title



What I Said:

involved in this?

OK Thank You.

What Other Party Said:

No. This was probably  
4th hand information.  
Bye.

Comments

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Signature

Shirley Murphy

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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**Reference  
Number 15**

La Salle  
COUNTY

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DIVISION

La Salle, St. McCanal I. D. or FILE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Re: unregulated dumping

Conversation with: Bill Egan

(☒) I Called Party ( ) Party Called Me DATE 6 Feb 81 TIME 8:55

( ) Complainant ( ) Violator ( ) Public Inquiry ( ) Partitioner

What I Said:

I understand you might  
know something about unregul-  
ated dumping that occurred  
in the area of the ten tanks  
along the St. McCanal.

Do you happen to know who  
mentioned it or someone who  
might more info?

Sheila Murphy  
Signature

What Other Party Said: (815) 223-5220

I remember someone saying  
something like that last  
year, but I don't myself  
don't know anything.

No. There were so many people  
standing around, I didn't  
know most of them and  
I don't remember which one  
said it. I've been with  
the company for 18 years and  
I don't know anything.  
use reverse side if necessary

Title

What I Said:

What Other Party Said:

*about it.*

Comments

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Unit

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